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Jim Hermisten at the Australian player of the year awards last year. He was named in the 1977 team of the year.

How long can we go on?

A leading club ad-ministrator, hitting out at the selfishness of soccer players and the apathy of the public, has warned that Australian soccer is in danger of collapse.

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Mr Ignatz Martinu, president of Victorian First Division club Keilor Austria, said, "I don't know what's to become of soccer.

"It is already."

know what's to become of soccer.
"It is already very hard to fight for the sport in a country where the majority doeant want to accept soccer. Grounds are hard to find and it's almost out of the question to try to build clubroom facilities by yourself.
To top it off, the senior private are becoming unreally wonder how long this can go on before some of the clubs collapse because only three or four financial sponsors, plus the committee members, do all the work and seem to get nowhere.
"Most players are out to get as much money as they can, but show no loyalty to the club."
"Evervone wants prome-

"Everyone wants promo-tion ... well why don't they help their club ... the one they signed with," Mr Martinu

they signed with," Mr Martinusaid.

"Let's be realistic, promotion can be achieved only if we all ... and this means players as well as committee ... work hard together in the same direction."

Mr Martinu, writing in Austria's club circular, was alluding to the demands of two Kellor Austria players, Cesar Velenauela and Neator Haneses, but as he points cut of milar demands are bestimated to the committee of the country of

Campbell

Brisbane Lions paid the highest transfer fee in Australian soccer history when it bought Jim Hermiston for \$20,000 at the weekend.

The previous record was \$15,000, which Adelaide Juventus paid Hakoah Easts last year for AGENOR MUNIZ.

The Muniz deal came just a few months after the previous record, set when Fitzroy Alexander paid Footscray J.U.S.T. \$12,000 for Branko Bullevic.

Branko Buljevic.

While the Hermiston deal was being negotiated in Brisbane, Hakoah-Easts was buying former Socceroo Ernle Campbell from Marconi.

And to make room for Campbell, Hakoah sold GRAHAM NORRIS to West Adelaide Hellas. Hakoah had bought Norris from Western Suburbs for \$5000 only a few weeks earlier. Hakoah secretary Harry Lakmaker said West Adelaide had long been showing an interest in Norris. Whanceas due to return from Portugal soon, Hakoah would have had too many forwards, had Norris stayed. Part of the transfer-fee arrangement is that Hakoah meets West Adelaide in a match in Adelaide on February 26. Lions will pay the \$20,000 fee for



Branko Bulkevic — his \$12,500 transfer was beaten first by Agenor Muniz (\$15,000) and now by Hér-

Hermiston in instalments. Details of the instalmets were not given.

Hermiston, who played on loan to Brisbane City last year, will team up with Socceroo Col Bennett in Lions' defence.

Lions previously signed Mooroolbark striker Barrie Fairbrother. It was reported Fairbrother's signing-on fee was \$10,000.

Fairbrother, who is featured on page 12 of this issue, is the subject of a dispute between Lions and Mooroolbark, Lions claim he was a free player when they signed him but Mooroolbark wants a transfer fee.

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While Hermiston's transfer was being finalised in Brisbane, international forward Ernle Campbell was being signed over from Marconi to Hakoah Easts in Sydney.

Campbell had been quoted at \$15,000. Hakoah got him for less — but the price was at least \$10,000.

He was the second Marconi star to be transferred in as many weeks.

Mike Micevski had gone to Fitzroy Alexander for a fee believed to be just under \$10,000.

Hermiston, 30, a member of Scotland's 1974 World Cup squad, signed a four-year contract with Lions, despite a late bid by Brisbane City own him over with a better offer.

Hermiston will be employed full time by Lions, as a player and as director for junior coaching.

Hermiston came to Australia early last year to join Queensland First Division club Grange Thistle, which released him to Brisbane City for guest games.

Ernie Campbell, 28, capped 14 times for Australia, can play in midfield but prefers to play as right striker.

Campbell, who played in the 1974 World Cup finals, started his career with APIA and



1974 World Cup player Ernie Campbell.

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FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY NIGHTS AT OLYMPIC PARK

Think again,

Ray Baartz

devastating injury in the match against Uruguay, the injury that left him partly paralysed for a while and that ended his soccer career

I'm sure the Newcastle public would greatly appreciate every Baartz rocket into the back of the net but after a four year lay-off, I have my reservations about the success of any comeback he may attempt.

I wouldn't like Ray to be remembered as anything but the brilliant footballer he was.

He could remain king now, without possibly spoiling his reputation.

So, as a personal friend, I would advise him to think again about this comeback.

At the Sydney Cricket Ground in early 1974, Ray Baariz scored one of the greatest goals in Australian soccer to point the Socceroos towards their 2-0 victory over Uruguay. Uruguay.

The Uruguayan goalkeeper and defenders stood and stared in amazement as Baartz's rocket blasted past them, to the roar of a huge crowd.

I never separate Baartz, Johnny Warren and John Wattkias as far as greatness is concerned, but when we con-sider goalscoring feats, the tendency is to tavor Baartz, the great star of Hakoah Sydney.

Had Ray been in the national team in the 1974 World Cup (finals, I'm sure we would have beaten East Germany. Our team was superb that night in Hamburg and we lacked only an additional goalscorer to cap off our good play.

Similarly, I think Baartz could have given us a win against Chile at the Berlin Olympic Stadium, that rainy night.

With Beartz, Australia could have made history in the World Cup, the way North Korea did in England in 1966.

After knowing him for so many years, I had a personal discussion with Ray about his intention of making a comeback with Newcastle United.

We talked about his

The great

protectors

Injustice to Barkers

Mooroolbark's expulsion from the Philips League makes one wonder about the future of the other clubs.

I think it was quite wrong to pel Mooroolbark.

After all, the understanding was that all clubs would have a minimum of three years in the league to establish themselves.

Mooroolbark may have debts, but surely other clubs have debts as well.

If Mooroolbark can be dis-pose of so callously, the other clubs had better look around to see who their friends are.

Newcastle has taken Mooroolbark's place but while I think the Newcastle area is No. 1 for soccer, I don't agree that this new club should have been given preference over one of the league's founder members.

Mooroolbark, in my opinion, helped give birth to the PSL. Without the backing of Mooroolbark, the PSL would not have won over the other Victorian clubs.

I sympathise with the Mooroolbark officials who worked hard during the year against great odds, and I sympathise with the players.

In one of my articles last year I mentioned how



RALE RASIC

Hungary, Czechoslovskia and Austria improved their soccer performances by ex-tending their league programmes. Meanwhile, the U.S. has woken up to the fact that six months without soccer can

up to the fact that six months without soccer can result in a big flop. They now play indoor soccer for three months after the season in America. So where does Australia stand?

Johnny Warren

Some of our PSL clubs played their last competitive match on September 26 last year and they won't be starting again until March 4 or 5.

This long lay-off makes it extremely difficult to develop and maintain a high standard of soccer.

If we do not change our attitude, we may eventually be forced to close the gates altogether. The public will forget how to get to the stadiums.

organisms of the stadiums.

My advice is: accept the progressive thinking of nations like Hungary.

Czechoslovakia and Austria.

Extend the season, put new ideas into practice if we are to improve soccer in Australia.





goalscorer born in Angola.



Carlos Mendez

Another goalscorer expected soon is Josef Vujovic, 24, of Yugoslav club Novi Sad Vujovic, who has a deadly left-foot shot, has been recommended to St. George by its former coach Frank Arok who is now in Yugoslavia.

A black African striker from Portuguese club Porto will join St. George Budapest on

Saturday.

He is Francisco Jose Maria, 25, a prolific

Saints form

a deadly

forward line

St. George will thus have four prolific scorers — Jose Maria, Vujovic, Neville Morgan and Phill O'Connor.

A midfielder or defender from English club Bristol City arrived at the weekend. His name is **Paul Jones**.

Meanwhile, Saints have engaged a marketing firm which will conduct a thorough marketing survey in the St. George district.

The survey will establish why people do or do not go to soccer games, what days suit them best, what facilities they require at the ground and so on.

The survey comprises six pages of questions and is based on what American clubs have done in this area.

Another player Saints may import this year is the son of former Hungarian champion Sandor Kocsis.

Young Kocsis is playing in the Spanish Third Division. St. George president Les Bor-dacs has asked his brother, who also lives in Spain, to evaluate Kocsis.

St. George vice-president Emery Nagy will take the op-portunity to talk with Kocsis during a business trip next month.

With Dave McQuire rejoining APIA, the No. 2 goalkeeper's berth has gone to 20-year-old TIm Patterson. No. 1 keeper is of course Martin Coe.

Another 20-year-old mak-ing a bid for the team is solid centre back Peter Terry. the position next to Doug Ut-jesenovic will go to either Terry, Brendan Grosse, or Paul Jones.

if Jones does not get a spot in defence, coach liya Takac



Neville Morgan (left) scoring against Marconi 'keeper Alan Maher.

will add him to the midfield pool which also includes John and Rob O'Shea, Rudolfo Gnavi, Carlos Mendez, and Willie Hamilton.

The two full backs will, be internationals George Harris on the right and Harry Williams on the left.

if the three imports are as good as their reputations, quite a few of St. George's regulars may find it hard to get into the team.

Saints will be seen in Melbourne when they meet South Melbourne Hellas on Sunday, February 12, at 5 p.m. at Middle Park.



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'Players are greedy'

next two sessions. Moneses' demands are similar.

General and a seriestry. Fred Care said: "Valensuels's demands are ridiculous, and as far as we are concerned any club willing to pay him that can have him.

"This sort of thing is ruining soccer in the Metropolitan League. We are not the only club with this problem. Players everywhere are being greedy and unreasonable."

Mr Csar said he was also disappointed that promising young player Alex Cabrers has also not turned up for training and has ignored the club's letter's to him.

"Alex is a great disappointment to us, as we did a lot for him as a junior," Mr Csar said. However, he pointed out that the majority at Austria was loyal to the club. "Joe Szabo, for example, is a fine

sportsman, a genueman and a loyal club man although he spent most of his time with Melbourne before joining us," Mr Csar said.

Mr Martinu told the story of so many clubs in this country, the said a series of raffles had raised \$4073 towards a toliet block. This had covered the cost of materials, but now another \$4000 was needed to finish the job.

What's more, the club has spent \$900 in hard-earned money to topsoil its practice ground at the Harricks Road Heserve in Kellor and also tened the Harricks and high to organise an Austrian style "Schuetzenlest" carnival at the ground last year. "There won't be one this year and maybe never again, unless some more

enthusiastic people and sup-porters commit themselves to organising and helping stage the festival. That means five days work for nothing," he said.

cars over the fence, etc., etc."
Meanwhile, Austria has signed two young forwards, Jalovec and Zarco The club expects them to develop into useful players.
The club's next social night at the St Albans public hall is on February 25 — a "Hawaiian Evening". Atter that, there's a "Weinlesefest" on April 1.

Alexander match

In the 1978 Philips League draw published in last week's "Soccer Action" we inadvertantly left out the opening match between Fitzroy Alexander v. Brisbane City in Melbourne on the weekend of March 4 5. We apologise for the omission.



Cesar Valensuela



Nestor Meneses

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Paul Onlong prepares to shoot at goal, pursued by Fitzroy Alexander defenders Jim Tansey and Bob Provan (right). At left is Barrie Fairbrother, who has left Mooroolbark to Join Brisbane Lions. Picture: SAM BELFONTE.

Ontong at \$4000

last week.

However, Ontong said he would prefer to play for a Philips League Club and has since contacted Canberra City and Adelaide Juventus.

Earlier, Ontong had talked to the Brisbane clubs while on holidays in Cueensland but neither of them contacted Mooroolbark about a possible transfer.

Ontong, 21, was one of the best players in the Victorian State League before Mooroolbark moved up into the Philips League and there he also played many devastating games.

His brother Geoff, a talented utility player, has retired from soccer at the age of only 24.

Geoff will soon become manager of the McDonald's store at Noble Park in Melbourne.

National cup shaping up

successful nation-wide cup competi-

It has been proposed by the Australian Soccer Federa-tion that 18 State League teams from all over Australia join the 14 Philips League clubs in contesting the Philips Cup.

clubs in contesting the Philips Cup.
The winner of such a com-petition could rightfully claim to be the best team in Australia.
The State League clubs would come from Sydney (four, Adelalde (three), Brisbane (three), Western Australia, Tasmania, A.C.T. and Northern N.S.W. (one each).

each).
The individual Federations have until March 31 to decide if they will participate and if so, which club or clubs will play.
South Australian Soccer Federation secretary Adrian Deckers is enthusiastic about the competition.

the competition is in favour of the idea and it will be a test of strength for the clube," he said. He is confident that the S.A. Federation will meet the

George Wallace, secretary of the Victorian Soccer Federation, also said time and money were the main obicles. "If the cost can be met from

McCombe available



Steve McCombe (plc-tured) is on the transfer list at Slavia. He recently returned to Australia after a holiday in England and is interested in hearing offers. Any in-terested clubs should contact Slavia. McCombe was with South Liverpool in England, and has been in the Victorian State souad.

By KYLE PATTERSON



within the competition, which is what has been proposed, there should be no problems," he said. "Of course with our season going from February to November, time is always a problem:." The first round of the knock-out competition would be played mid-week in May. Half the teams would be knocked out at this stage. The second round in June would leave eight teams in the quarter-finals, which would be played after the PSL top four series at the end of the season.

four series at the end of the season.

New South Wales Soccer Federation secretary Aulden Brown was less optimistic, but didn't rule out the possibility of NSW clubs com-

Big four

in series

Marconi, St. George, Hakoah-Easts and Western Suburbs will play a series of trial matches at Marconi Oval starting on Friday (February 10) at 6.30 pm. The first match is between St. George and Hakoah, followed by Wests v. Marconi.

On Febraury 17 the programme is: St. George v. Wests and Marconi v. Hakoah.

Hakoah.
Remaining matches are on February 22 and 24.
Rosso Antico, maker of the Italian aperitif, is help-ing stage the matches.

declined," he said, "It is up to individual clubs to decide what they will do. Finance will be the main point. However the matter has not been discussed yet." Hopefully the PSL clubs" rejection of the Ampol Cup offer will not prejudice the Sydney State L'asque glubs' décision.

Although it is not known

Sydney State League sluos decision.
Although it is not known how each Federation will decide which clubs will enter, "Soccer Action" suggests the following clubs;
Melbourne — Makedonia, Essendon Croatia, George Cross, Juventus or Frankston.
Sydney — Croatia, Apia, Marrickville Olympic or Yugal.
Adelaide — Llon, Polonia, Beograd, Azuuri or Croatia, Briabane — St. George, Southside Eagles, Annerley or Radilands.
All these clubs have drawing power.

Ing power.

Hopefully the competition will get off the ground, for it would definitely benefit Australian soccer.

BARKERS RESIST \$15,000 TAKE-OVER ATTEMPT

A Geelong team, believed to be North Geelong, offered to take over Mooroolbark United for \$15,000 but the offer was rejected.

The first take-over offer was \$10,000, which was increased by \$5000 later. steem was a 10,000, by \$5000 later.

at Esther Park which is up to Metropolitan League standard. All outstanding debts owed to the Victorian Soccer Federation have been paid including the tees for the currentyear (Cup games etc.)

"Whether the national league team withdrew from the Philips Soccer League, or was forced to withdraw should have no bearing on the 3rd Division teams. To dery Moorboolbark from having a soccer club is against your own constitution which is to promote, improve and further soccer in Victoria.

"Moorboolbark has 300 junior and 30 senior players primed and ready to start the season. Of the senior players 90% have come through from Moorboolbark juniors."

"It would be against the interest of soccer to deny all these youngsters the chance to play for a senior team at

which was increased it is believed North Geelong wanted to take Mooroolbark's position in the Third Division of the Metropolitan League. Meanwhile, Mooroolbark has started a campsign to top possible sanctions by the Victorian Soccar Federation against the club.

There has been talk that the VSF would be unhappy about Mooroolbark playing in the Third Division under the burden of the \$50,000 debt incurred by its Philips League team.

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team.

There would appear to be
little justification for any action by the VSF.

If the club can pay its affiliation fees and meet all day-today requirements of playing
in the Metropolitan League,
the debt should have no bearing on the club's
membership.

After all, the VSF would
solve nothing by any extreme
action like excluding
Mooroolbark from the
League. The debt would remain and the task of repaying
it would be come even harder.

It would be come even harder.
It would be callous indeed
for the VSF to compound the
problem.

for the VSF to compound the problem.

Mooroolbark has submitted to the VSF a petition bearing 520 signatures and has also sought backing from the Department of Youth, Sport and Recreation.

The letter to the VSF reads. "Mooroolbark United Socier Club administration consists of several committees function is to look after the national league team. There is a junior committee and a 2nd Division committee. "The 2nd Division committee was not formed until the latter part of last season. It was sanctioned by the executive committee. "This 2nd Division committee has for the past six months completely and competently managed the 2nd Division (now 3rd Division) team which has taken a lot of hard work for a number of people. "We have our own ground

Petition asks

for justice

their own club. There is also a growing but loyal group of supporters who all wish to continue supporting Mooroolbark. "We have plans for the future and would like to be given the chance to get Mooroolbark back on its feet again.

Moorcolbark back on its feet again.

The junior club and social club have tightened ranks with us and the club is now more united than ever, indeed more united than it has been in the past 12 months, and supporters who did not agree with Moorcolbark joinging the national league have also assured us of their financial and personal support.

"Moorcolbark is a suburban area and there is very little for youngsters and teenagers to do. Soccer clubs like Moorcolbark are very

necessary here. It is not a factory or business that we are talking about — it is people. Should these boys be penalised because of the failure of the national league earn? Wouldn't we all be failing in our duty to these boys if we let Mooroolbark socrecible disappear and left them kicking their heels on street corners?

corners?

"The Officer-in-Charge of Mooroolbark Police Station also endorses that any active sport that can hold the energies and attention of over 350 players and as many and more young supporters, deserves the chance to be maintained and function in the area."

The letter is signed by the club's recorder, Mrs. Rose Rye.

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Larry Ostrowsky Mirko Rujevic Polonia goalkeeper Larry Ostrowsky has

OSTROWSKY

Polonia goalkeeper Larry Ostrowsky has joined Footscray J.U.S.T.
Ostrowsky, 18, will be deputy to J.U.S.T.'s No. 1 goalkeeper Dennis Boland.
He replaces Miro Litwin, who also came from Polonia. Litwin hasn't been seen at J.U.S.T. since the last game of 1977.
Meanwhile, J.U.S.T. awaits the arrival of two players from Yugoslavia — a left back from the First Division and a winger or right back from the Second Division.
Coach Cedo Cirkovic expects big things this year from midfielder Mirko Rujevic, the former State player.
"Rujevic has been working very hard in training and he has always been one of the best midfield players in Victoria.
""He has had injury problems in the past but there will.

'He has had injury problems in the past but there will no problems this year." Cirkovic said





Looney of Marrickville does not seem to be too troubled in this aerial duel with Patterson of Avala. On the far right, with No. 8 on his back, is the scorer of the only goal — Pat Dellar of Avala.



NSW Ampol Cup with ALEX VESIC

Avala home with goal by Dellar across centre field in the first half but seemed to enjoy the hospitality of Sutherland's defence far more in the se-cond half, again, without much success

AVALA — MARRICKVILLE 1:0 (0:0)

Cup holder Avala defeated Marrickville by the narrowest of margins, but it certainly did not reflect the superiority and the s

to take a deflection on the way to Pat Dellar whose first-time shot from just outside the box finished in the lar corner, with Looney well beaten.

Avala continued to sure

inished in the far corner, with Looney well beaten.

Avala continued to surge forward and only three minutes later almost scored again. Beater followed a through pass from Petterson, fired a shot from seven metres out, but Looney made a brilliant save. In the 58th minute, Beater, Milovanovic, then Patterson and successive shots at goal from close range but found warrickvib penetrate. In the 83rd minute, Avalia's the star defender, Alex Gray wandered off into the opponents half. He broke through Marrickville's defence but failed to beat the goalkeeper from just five metres. With two minutes to go Beater had everyone beaten including the goalkeeper, but the bail hit the post and yet another chance went begging. To add insult to injury, Avala scored in the first minute of the game but the goal was dissallowed for an Infringement by young Avala keeper Ilija Necic.

Marrickville, with the exception of goalkeeper

Looney, and skilful Apostolides, had very little to offer, and, never looked dengerous

dangerous.
AVALA: P. Ahrens, G. Cir-janic, S. Deller, M. Barton, A. Gray, G. Krejza (Milovanovic 45; Nedic 67); E. Patterson, P. Deller, T. Morrow, I. Necic, J. Beater. Coach: S. Lalic.

MARRICKVILLE: P.
Looney, B. Windschuttel, A.
Lee, (S. Nanariello) S. Rumer,
R. Page, M. Dale, F.
Apostolides, P. Thompson, R.
Steele, D. Gould, G. Clark (T.
Jordan).

YUGAL — 801... 0:3 (0:2) SUTHERLAND

U:3 [U:2]

Craig Hall, the recent winner of the Under-21 Player of the Vear award for the state of NSW, found Yugal's defence easy to penetrate, but their net elusive. He could not score from an active of the variety of variet

MCKAY OUT, HARDI

Victorian State League club Essendon-Croatia has sacked its coach Duncan McKay and replaced him with John Gardiner, who won the Victorian Rothmans Medal in 1971 and 1972.

Gardiner will be player-coach if Essendon gets a transfer for him from South Melbourne Hellas. Essendon president Mr Joe Sigur said the club sacked McKay because it had not agreed with his approach to a practice match against Makedonia on the weekend. The game ended in a 1-1 draw.

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"We had two goalkeepers

— Danny Lacok and Dlme

Petroveki — in training for two months, yet McKay used John Kennedy who had just returned from his honeymoon in Europe." Mr Sigur said.

"What's more, we wanted him to try out Marlan Jaworski and Andy Czapnik from Polonia, and we would not do so. It was a good opportunity to assess the two players, with a view to buying McKay played for Glasgow Cetto. and for the defunct State League club Crostia.

Essendon brought him to

Melbourne last year from Perth, where he was coaching Azzuri. New coach John Gardiner won his two Rothmans Medals as Victorian player of the year while with George Cross. From there he was transferred to Essendon in 1976 and joined Helias in a \$10,000 deal last year. Hellas transfer-listed him at the end of last season and he has since been trying to get back to Essendon. However, Essendon has refused to pay the \$7500 transfer fee sought by Hellas. Mr Sigur said Essendon had made Helias a lower offer.

fer.

Meanwhile, Essendon has bought tiny forward Tommy "Atom Ant" Cumming from Sunshine City for \$5000.

Cumming will make his Esendon debut against Hakoan in the first round of the 1978 Ampol Cup at Olympic Park on Saturdav.



Duncan McKay in his playing days.

City honor for Albion

Sunshine Council will give Albion Leyland a civic reception in recognition of the club's effort in winning promotion to the Victorian State League for the first time.

It will be held in the Sunshine town hall some time in

The council is building a new toilet block onto which

the club will build new change rooms.

Albion has signed **Derek Doolan** from George Cross.

Doolan played with the Cross in 1976, but returned home to England to get married last year.

The club is having talks with **Danny McCluskle** of Hellas

Albion has applied for a full liquor licence for the clubrooms at Selwyn Park but it will be a while before the matter gets through all the legal channels. Club members are asked to attend an extraordinary general meeting at the clubrooms on Sunday, February 12 at 10.30 am.



John Gardiner

Azzurri crushed

Croatia 2-0 in a sparkling display of attacking soccer at Hindmarsh Stadium

on Friday night.
The win put Azzurri on top of the South Australian Ampol Cup table and increased its chances of clinching its first-ever Ampol Cup.
In the late game Polonia and Lion played a boring 1-1 draw.

Azzurzi

Leaders Azzurri beats Croatia

By MENO TOUTSIDIS

PETROV, McGIFFORD ADDED TO LIST!



 Mr G. Vasilevski (left) hands a \$6000 sponsorship chaque to Makedonia's advertising manager Mr P. Daniels. See story at the top

Preston Makedonia has added utility player Chris Petrov and midfielder Colin McGifford to its long transfer list.

Makedonia bought Petrov from Sunshine for \$6000 two years ago. It got McGifford from Alexnder for \$2500.

Two more new players are expected soon from England. They are centre back **Gary Hooper**, who used to play for Luton Town, and forward **Lou**

Essendon-Croatia draw 1-1 at Preston at the weekend. New Zealander Paul Hallam scored for Makedonia and Alan Kerr for Essendon.

Makedonia's stars were Bill McClymont and Hallam, while Alan Davidson and Tommy Cumming were best for Essendon.

Adams wito recently scored five goals in one match.

About 2000 people watched Makedonia and

Ramirez, Thompson and Kafalas scored for Olympic, while Vidiac was on the spot for Auburn. COMPLETE ROUNDUP: Group A: Croatia — Reves-by 5:0; Melita — Granville 1:0. Table: Group B:
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Manly — Monaro 1:3.
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delence far more in the second halt, again, without many autoescaping had an opportunity in the 29th minute, then Karanfilovaki failed to score in the 52nd and 56th minutes, Karanfilovaki failed to score in the 52nd and 56th minutes, Karanfilovaki gain missed a golden chance in the 76th minute, with Haynes well out of goal.

31st: Warren Woods took the ball down the right flank, and after a dash of about 40 metres (unattended), centred to the unmarked Paul Smith, who virtually "carried" the ball over the line from only a couple of metres away, 0:1.

44th: Peter Hall accepted a pass from the "evergreen" of the sufficient of the sufficient to see the ball cross the line, 0:2.

65th: An incredible 95 metre goal-kick by Haynes sent the ball deep into Yuga's penalty area, where it bounced only once before going into touch. However, Mandridis saw fit to push Smith before the ball went out of play and from a resultant penalty kick Dallorno converted. 0:3.

YUGALL: Mandridis, Piper, Zaknic.

YUGAL: Mandridis, Z.
Trkulja, Piper, Zaknic,
Radovac, Komljanovic,
Djurisic, T. Minajlovic,
Lupevski (Stamenkovic),
Travini, Karanfilovski.

SUTHERLAND: Haynes, Wykes, Woods, Dalforno, Schuman, Meades, Walker, Lavin, P. Hall, (Basterfield), C. Hall, P. Smith.

Melite won against Gran-ville, thanks to a penalty kick taken by Brizuela in the 79th minute, while Marrickville Olympic shocked last year's grand finalists 3:1 in the early match of the double header at Granville.

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Auburn — M/V Olympic 1:3.
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Azzurri's new coach Peter Jaksa did not get carried away with the win over his former club. former club. "I am not entirely happy yet," Jaksa said after the game. "We are only beginning to show our potential and I believe that in about eight weeks we will be playing first class soccer." Jaksa said his team was determined to do well after the 0-3 loss to Beograd last week. the 0-3 loss to Beograd last week.

It took Azzurri 45 minutes to break down Croatia's defence but once they scored, there was little doubt who would take home both points.

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Former Beograd stritle duality who would take home both points from Ross Russo and hammered a ground shot past Croatia keeper Mirko Zanic.

With Azzurri spillting Croatia's defence with several precise moves, the crowd of 2,500 became vocal for the first time in the evening. However Croatia did not give in without a fight and twice came close to scoring when Tarry Havas hit s Group D: Avala — Marrickville Sutherland — Jugal 3:0. - Marrickville 1:0; Table: 3:0 2

Avala 1:0 2
Marrickville 0:1 0
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piledriver straight at Danny Di Blasi in the Azzurri goal and moments later Charlie Harrow headed narrowly over the bar.

But Paul Innace ended Croatia's interest in the match with a brilliant goal in the 72nd minute.

72nd minute.

Chris Manolev did the damage with a clever run before slipping it to Innace who shrugged off a defender and clipped the ball past Zanic from 10 metres to send the Italian fans into hysteria.

The Polonia-Lion game had little to justify its main game status.

Both halves were devold of action apart from a solid shot from Lion's Roger Kozuch which was saved by keeper Howle Jacques after five minutes.

minutes.
Lion grabbed the lead in the 35th minute with a penalty which Steve Cagglano converted.
The penalty was given

when Jacques grabbed Peter Nyskohus' left leg as he was about to pounce on the ball.

about to pounce on the ball.
Potonia got the equaliser they did not look like earning when Claudi Cadenare scored from the tightest of angles in the S8th minute.
Beograd play Polonia in the only game next Friday night with the Yugoslavs being hot favorities to remain unbeaten. South Australian Ampol Cup Standings:

P FA Pts

	P		FA	Pts
Azzurri	3	1	4-4	4
Lien	2		4-3	3
Boograd	1		3-0	2
Polonia	2	2	2-3	1
Creatia	2	2	0-2	1
Victoria	2	2	2-3	1
No.				

Top scorers: 3 — Capqiano (Lion), 2 — Telecki (Beograd). 1 — Kozuch (Lion), Tuffs (Victoria), Brown (Victoria), Brown (Victoria), Boczuk (Beograd), White, Alder, Innace, Manolev (Azzurri), Mszyca (Polonia), Cadenaro (Polonia).

'No' to Rinaldo

Young Lion goalkeeper Domonic Rinaldo's attempt to break Into the National League appears to have failed.

Rinaldo, 22, was refused permission by his club to train with Adelaide City Juventus.

He sat on the bench when Lion grabbed a shock 3-2 win over Enfield Victoria two weeks ago.

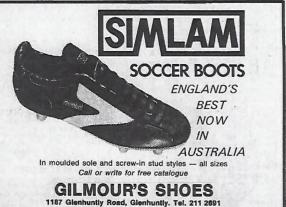
Rinaldo has been with the club for four years and is still determined to leave Lion.

Co-incidentally some of his best performances were against Juventus when they played in the first division.

Lion beat Juventus on three occasions in the Ampol Cup and the league in 1975 and 76 and each time Rinaldo did not concade a goal.

cede a goal.

He will make another request for permission to train with Juventus next week.





Kevin Walker (Geo. Cross)



Con Ignatidis



Andy Segi (Green Gully)



Pocock



(Juventus)

Makedonia's \$6000 sponsorship

Preston Makedonia is the first Victorian State League club to win major sponsorship.

Sponsorship.

GF Vasilovski Pty. Ltd., builders, will back the club for \$6000 this year.

Announcing the sponsorship, Makedonia spokesman Branko Trajanovski said: "With this financial backing and with the new players we have already signed, Makedonia is set to start the season by winning the Ampol Cup."

Ampol Cup. Set to sain the season by wining the Ampol Cup. G. F. Vasilevski, run by **Mr George Vasilevski**, will bave its company name on Makedonia's track suits. The name will also be displayed on four signs at the club's new ground.

CLASH OF GIA KICKS OFF CUP

By LAURIE SCHWAB

The clash between two of Victoria's traditional giants, Juventus and George Cross, highlights the opening double header of the 1978 Ampol Cup at Olympic Park on

Friday night.

The task facing Juventus for the second successive year is to win back the support of the

successive year is to win back the support of the Italian community. Similarly, George Cross must win a greater share of Maltese support to improve its financial position.

The Cross now has more to offer, due to its impressive new social club in Brunswick.

Francis Mifsud, or "Chico," as he's known, is likely to make his comeback to the George Cross team after a long absence, and Juventus will feature the return of brilliant full back Fausto Tarquinio.

Tarquinio, once in line for a place in the national squad, returned recently from Italy, but midfielder Charle Smith wants a transfer.

Juventus had an impression of Malter and an impression of the support o

from Italy, but midfielder Charlie Smith wants a transfer.
Juventus had an impressive 4-1 victory over Fitzroy Alexander a few weeks ago and if it reproduces that form, it could avenge its 1977 losses to the Cross.
Doubt still surrounds some of the George Cross players who have expressed a desire to move to other clubs.
However, as usually happens, the players will probably be placated and line up as usual.
With big names like Ken Reed (1977 league top scorer), Lou Kastner, Billy Wilkinson, John Webb, Kevin Walker, Norm Maritand and Paul Murphy in the line up, George Cross definitely appears the stronger team.
However, Juventus'

however, Juventus' new coach Bobby Thompson may have succeeded in firing up his squad sufficiently to over come the slight deficiency in class.

Our tip: GEORGE CROSS Ringwood v Makedonia

In the earlier match at Olympic Park on Friday night (7:30 pm) Ring wood City may prove a tough opponent for Preston Makedonia which is rebuilding. No doubt Brian Thom, Paul Wilding and Mike Kupinic (see separate story) will greatly strengthen the Ringwood side, coached once again by the capable Fred Bunce.

Former Essendon Lions

Former Essendon Lions striker George McMillan should make his debut for Makedonia, along with midfielder Jim Quinn who is back after a year in Scotland

Scotland.

New Zealanders Paul Glasson and Eric Lesbirel will also appear in Makedonia colors for the

Makedonia colors in Makedonia colors in Makedonia Colors in Irist time.

Brewerton, Petrovski, Petrov, Laumets and Flaherty provide stability. Makedonia beat Altona 2-0 and Green Gully 6-0 in practice matches, so it should overcome any improvement in the



Frank Petersen (Frankston)

Ringwood team. Our tip: MAKEDONA

Frankston v GG Ajax

(Olympic Park, Saturday, 7.30 pm)
Much will depend on whether Frankston manages to sign Mooroolbark striker Gordon McGregor in time for this match.

If he plays, he could well prove Frankston's match-winner as Ajax does not appear to have anyone capable of stopping him.

anyone capable of stopping him.

And in defence,
Frankston's new signing
Vince Bannon and Alex
Irvine will be too strong
tor Ajax's only impressive
striker, Andy Segi.
This could be a vastly
different Frankston team,

different Frankston team, as goalkeeper Frank Petersen, midfielder Dave Gorrie, forward Gus Eadie and midfielder Bill Buchanan have all been placed on the transfer list. Frankston has shown interest in Mooroolbark's brilliant forward Paul Ontong but his \$4000 price tag may prove prohibitive. As for Green Gully, which will suffer from the absence of injured forward John Grady, much will depend on new signings Dave Perkin and Nick Cook from England.

Dur tip: FRANKSTON

Essendon CSC v Hakoah

(Olympic Park, Saturday, 9pm)

Gay, 5pm)
Sunshine's mercurial forward Tommy "Atom Ant" Cumming is likely to make his debut for Essendon in this match, the outcome of which is anyone's guess.

If Cumming plays his skills, allied to those of



Two stars in opposition — Branko Culina (left) Essendon and Mick Watkins of Juventus.



Alan Davidson (Altona)

CAILORAY

Davidson, and perhaps

Krncevic up front, could swing the match Essendon's way, although defenders Bill Jordanou and Mike Rainey will prove difficult obstacles. As usual, Hakoah is lacking in attack, but if the defence can hold out long enough, Hakoah may get a second chance in the penalties showdown.

Our tip: ESSENDON

Sunshine v Albion Levland

(Kim Reserve, Altona, 1.30pm)

Having not yet done any recruiting, and standing to lose both Billy Rae and Sergio Tribuzzio, Albion looks to have little chance of winning its first match in State League company.

company.
Sunshine is the far more experienced, more settled team, even without Peter Lewis and Tommy

Cumming.
Ray Pocock, after scoring 13 goals last season, looks set for another big

year, aided by Kaz Piotrowski and Jim McRobert in attack. These three alone should succeed in beating Albion, aithough Leyland's two Scots, Kit Greechan and Bill Mc-Cormack must be Cormack must be watched closely. McCor-mack scored 17 goals last

year.
Sunshine's new coach
Bill Walsh, the former
State team boss, is likely
to give Scottish import
David Nelson, brother of
Robbie Nelson, his first

run. Our tip: SUNSHINE.

Altona v Slavia

(Kim Reserve, Altona, Sunday, 3pm)

Sunday, 3pm)
Altona must be favored here as it ended the 1977 season well, while Slavia has lost both Mark Baber and Brian Monaghan.
Steve Bennie and Jim Williams remain trump cards in Slavia's attack and the ability of defenders Symlington, Jim Train and Frank Thompson is unquestioned, but Altona has talented men as well. Watch young Alan

has talented men as well.
Watch young Alan
Davidson. We've written a
lot about him, and we'll
write a lot more, for this
kid is headed for bigger
and better things.
Without meaning any
disrespect to Altona, we
wonder why it is that a
Philips League club hasn't
put in a bid for Davidson.
Altona look's sound

put in a bid for Davidson.
Altona looks sound
enough in defence due to
the presence of David
Lord and big Rob
Gramsbergen, so the
home team should start
with a victory.
Our tip: ALTONA

Wilding, Thom switch

Ringwood Wilhel-mina has been finalising negotia-tions to sign Mooroolbark

Paul players Wilding, goalkeeper, and Brian Thom, a midand

Brian Thom, a mid-fielder.

For Thom It is a homecoming. He played for Ringwood before go-ing interstate and joined Mooroolbark on his return to Melbourne.
Ringwood is also likely to sign Croydon City utility player Mike Kupinic. He was with Footscray J.U.S.T. before joining Croydon.

When Gary Groenewald switched to kingwood from Hakoah

Groenewald switched to Ringwood from Hakoah recently, he brought his two brothers Warren and John with him.

With stars Kelth Adams, David Garthweite and John O'Callaghan ali signing up again, Ringwood appears to be in a sound position.

Coach Freddy Bunce is likely to use the following squad:

Result of the state of the stat Luyten, John O'Callaghan, Mike Kupinic, Warren Groenewald and John Groenewald.

Passman is a former Ringwood junior who had seven senior games last year and Schott joined year and Schott joined last season after moving to Melbourne from Queensland.



David Garthwaite





Brian Thom

SCOTS

N.S.W. State League club Arncliffe Scots will Arncliffe Scots will be banking on youth to bring them success this year. Arncliffe has some good junior talent in its ranks, with Mark Harrington looking the most promising.

Richard Schroeder, top goalscorer for the Scots two seasons ago, returns after a 12-month lay off.

On the topic of coming back, the club is having a reunion night for explayers on February 2 at 8 p.m. at the club premises.



David Baker (left) of Hakoah and Steve Kokoska (centre) of Essendon — two of Victoria's finest defenders. This scene is from Vic-toria's match against Middlesbrough last year. At left is David Mills.

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e George Best

George Best not a team man: Lutton utton

Bertie Lutton (Inset), in action last week against his former Hakoah-Easts team mate Eddie Thompson (right). Picture by SAM BELFONTE

By KYLE PATTERSON

"South Melbourne Hellas will definitely finish in the top four this season," says Bertie Lutton.

Even though it's weeks before the start of the Philips League season, this man is sure of success for his new

Hellas signed Lutton, who has represented Northern Ireland at full International level, from Hakoah — Eastern Suburbs for \$8.500 late last year.

For the third time in his career, Bertie teams up with Hellas coach Dave Maclaren. They were at Wolverhampton Wanderers together and Dave brought Bertie to Australia to play for Hakoah when he was coach there two years ago.

Lutton's career in big-time soccer egan when he joined Wolves from

Lutton's career in big-time soccer began when he joined Wolves from school. He made his first team debut at Wolves but later transferred to Brighton and then moved to West Ham. During this time he played for Northern Ireland six times as well as being a substitute three times. "The most memorable game was the one against England at Wembley," he says.

says.
"It was during the home championships and it was Bobby Charlton's 100th, full International for England.
"There was 100,000 people there and it was an unforgettable experience for me, even though we went down 0-



Derek Dougan of Wolves one of Lutton's former team

During his international career, Ber

During his international career, Bertie played alongside Bobby Mulr, Derk Dougan and George Best.

"Bestie was a brilliant player but not much of a team man," asys Bertle.

After nearly 100 League appearances, Bertie had to quit the game because of a serious back injury. He was 22-years-old.

After two years out of the game, Bertie decided to make a comeback.

"I was considering playing in the States or South Africa when Dave Maclaren gave me the offer to come to Australia. I accepted and my wife Australia. I accepted and my wife Carol, the children and I are happy

Lutton was in and out of the Hakoah

here:"
Lutton was in and out of the Hakoah team last year.
"I had a few niggling injuries and on top of that I didn't see eye to eye with the team manager," he explains.
Hellas spent up big on players in 1977 but failed miserably, finishing in the bottom third of the ladder.
"Hellas didn't impress me at all last season, even though it took three points off Hakoah, the eventual champion," says Bertle, but I have great respect for Dave Maclaren and I reckon Hellas could go close to winning the championship this year."
That's good news for Hellas fans and a warning for the rest of the Philips League clubs.
Bertle thinks highly of Hellas fans.
"When Hakoah played Hellas in Melbourne early last season there was a big crowd and a big match atmosphere. If Hellas can string some good results together, the crowds would be the same as a good English Third division gate," he says.



Bobby Charlton stumbles over Horst Hottges of Germany in a 1970 World Cup game. Bertie Lutton played for Ireland against England in Charlton's 100th international.

dds are stacked against Tasmania



Wrest Point Rapid, standing from left: B. Evans (team manager), W. Stuetzal (captain), J. Plasonic, T. Wilson, D. Farmery, F. Letic, E. Aliphon. Front: D. Reid, John Dilba, M. Box, P. Kannegeiser, A. Scheibl, B. Cengia, O. Bachinger, Jack Dilba.

By LAURIE SCHWAB

Despite soccer advances on the Apple Isle, it could take more than 10 years before Tasmania is capable of fielding a national league team.

So says Tasmanian official Ron Hurley, of the

Wrest Point Rapid Club.

"Membership of the national league would involve enormous cost," says Hurley, "and we just don't have the crowds to meet those costs.

"Even a match between Hobart's two strongest clubs, Juventus and Croatia, draws no more than a couple of

hundred spectators."

However, Tasmania is pushing ahead this year with the formation of A State-wide league which will include clubs from the Southern and Northern leagues.

The new league comprises Ulverstone, Devonport, Georgetown,



Heinz Voss, general manager of the Wrest Point hotel casino complex.

Launceston United, Launceston Juventus and five clubs from Hobart — Rapid Wrest Point, Sandfly Olym-pia, Newtown White Eagles, Glenorchy Croatia, and Margate Caledonians.

Wrest Point is the most glamorous of the Tasmanian clubs, due to its involvement with the Wrest Point Casino.

Wrest Point Casino.

Ron Hurley, who is casino manager at the complex, suggested sponsorship of the soccer club four years ago, when a few players and committee members were employed at the casino.

General manager Heinz Voss agreed. The complex provided the clubs with assistance for social functions and free prizes for raffles. This year, Wrest Point's sponsorship of the clubs will be worth about \$4000.

Ron Hurley went onto the com-

about \$4000.

Ron Hurley went onto the committee, but stood down this year to serve on the Federation's tribunal.

Wrest Point's best year was 1976, when it won the State and Southern championships and also the reserves, under 16 and under 17 cup competitions.

Among club members who have worked at the casino are Jim



Ron Hurley, former Rapid president, and casino manager at Wrest Point.

Musgrove and Richard Doggett (committee), Don Farmery, Andy Schelbi, Mick Caban and Gordon Vall (players).

Vali (players).
Star player last year was Don Farmery who, as usual, was the team's top scorer, and also the top marksman in the league.
While things are looking up for Rapid, Croatia may have difficulties this year.

Its main backer, Michael "Mr. Croatla" Furjanic, who two years ago helped bring Metros Toronto to Australia, has resigned from the club and joined the board of the TSA



Our intrepid editor has done it again. In the premier edition, in his attempt to survey the plight of Australian Soccer in 1978, he has chosen the wrong interviewees.

co-operate

This formidable soccer-knowledge, spewing-machine, famous throughout soccerdom for his terse and definitive telephone answering manner of "Hello" has gone to the likes of Peter McCann, George Wallace and Tony Kovac.

I mean, look at their qualifications; a retiree, a bald man and

Fearful of the ineffectual nature of their unqualified diagnosis, constantly at the beck and call of the socces fraternity, have onfacted renowned experts in the field so that the truth may be

Unyielding and steadfast in the execution of this mammoth task, 1 managed to track down the first quarry, the perspecatious Joe Fumanco.

Aware of this man's aversion to publicity and jetset like move-ments, I chartered a tram to the dizzy Melbourne world of the fruit and vegetable market.

Here I cornered "Round Ball Joe", as he is known to the un-derground world of Zucchini and Brussels sprouts. He was fingering an orange with the finesse and cool eye that has been responsible for his fame.

Gerground world of Zucchini and Brussels sprouts. He was fingering an orange with the finesse and cool eye that has been responsible for his fame.

Before he could shout out, "Two pounds please," and rush off into obscurity, I asked "Round-Ball" what is the greatest problem reionig soccer in Australia this year,"

Without having to deliberate, he said: Manure. Inspired and impressed with the alacrity of his sharpness, I asked him if he could edity my humbleness further.

"Manure", he repeated, "If they would throw manure on the bald patch of Olympic Park, they could get the grass to grow, and then," he continued, "we begin the path to soccer professionalism."

Reeling with enlightenment, I missed four trams in my effort to return to the editor with my discovery.

"You see, Laurie," I said on my return, "if you ask the right people you get the right answers."

"Bullshit," he replied.

Finally, I thought, I've got him agreeing with me. Smug in my contidence I continued my investigation. Jim Shoulder was my next victim.

Disguising my voice as that of an ex-British Indian colonel, I to the continued my complete the right manure and the continued my investigation. Jim Shoulder was my next victim.

Disguising my voice as that of an ex-British Indian colonel, I to "Jimmy, old boy, I say yer meeting."

"Jimmy, old boy, I say yer meeting."

"Faith and optimism — therein lies our salvation. We are too pessimistic in our approach to soccer; he said.

"All too often have I heard that Australia is out of the World CUp. By Crickey, (I think my accent was too neavy). One nas a few setbacks and immediately pessimism and dejection is rife throughout the land.

"Faith in God, earthquakes, pestilence and war will see us in the World Cup. I have the utmost confidence."

"Pip, pip, good show and stiff upper-lip," I replied with resounding enthusiasm in all that is good and positive.

Art Eisenbein was next on my list. He had toured the globe liberating small countries whether they needed it or not. He is to be found at most matche

oo don't go milit die oldies.
"Yoo get ze youngles, maybe zree, four years at die latest.
"Put them in ze army, zorry, zoccer camp un yoo trrain, trrain,
RRAIN.

TRRAIN.
"Ve vill discover ze mummy's boys kvick smart, unt yoo make zem cooks. Ze rrest velt class, zoccer stormers."
"No dole bludgers here, basis, process stormers."
"No dole bludgers here, basis, process stormers."
I marched to my next assignment — Pele.
"I don't care what your problem is, you're not getting me out of retirement again," he wept over the phone.
Finally I managed to track down Bluey "The Fish" Ceriton.
Eulogising at 10.15 in the Rising Sun, he gave me this piece of advice. "Get the buggers to spend a few hundred thousand quid on a decent boozer at the grounds so we don't have to stand in the bloody cold and rain sucking from warm tubes, and she'll be apples."

upples."

Well there you have it. Comments from those really in the now. Not a hotch-potch of amateurs who'll give their opinion to

Having a secret ambition to write for a smutty rag, not a first class journal like this (is it money reviewing time again?), I am goling to include in some julcy gossip.

Some secret will be a second for a second figure, no names as Mr. George Wellace might be reading, caught terp-sichoreous with a delicious young number, a Mise Maggie McKenzle, at a recent Yooralla function?— a Mise Maggie McKenzle, at a recent Yooralla function.

Mmmmm, I don't think that was a nervous twitch in the eye of the man with the leer and the light feet.

Fred Villiers eat your heart out!

Hot-shot striker John Kosmina leaves Adelaide today (Wednesday) to join London club Arsenal.

It is understood Kosmina bought his own transfer from Polonia-Adelaide for about \$20,000 supplied

The free-scoring Socceroo ayed on loan to West Adelaide played on loan Helias last year.

Both Hellas and Adelaide Juventus have been trying to sign him up for the 1978 season, but

Polonia's high transfer fee has stood in the way.
Kosmina has been capped 19 times and has scored 12 goals for Australia.

Australia.

He impressed Arsenal coach
Terry Neill when he scored in
Australia's 3-1 win over the English

Club in Sydney last year.
Kosmina, 21, asked how it would be to play alongside Malcolm Mac-

donald, said with a smile: "Who knows, I might even force Macdonald out of the side."

Kosmina said he would return to Adelaide during the English off-season and hoped to play guest games here.

with Arsenal, he will try his luck in, the North American Soccer League.



John Kosmina

lexander v Hellas

Fitzroy Alexander and South Melbourne Hellas will clash in a Philips League practice game at Olympic Park tonight (Wednesday) at 8 pm.

On Sunday Hellas will meet St George Budapest at Middle

Juve missed many stars

By LAURIE SCHWAB

If Maclaren believes he still has a problem in the middle of the defence, he might con-sider trying Rogers out there.

Juventus hopes to get Marwe in exchange for Pope and Kolecki in exchange for DiBartole, while right back Fraser has been told to find another club.

However, with Muniz.

SOUTH MELBOURNE HELLAS 2 (Lutton, Ollerton) ADELAIDE JUVENTUS 0.

Hellas: Hansen 7; Pye 6, Vaughan 7, Kalafatidla 6, Hagegmanouil 5; Lutton 6, Daperis 5, Wright 7; Cummings 5, Ollerton 7, Kent 5 (Kakan-ohois 5, half Imanowicz 5: Marwe 6, Matic 6, Lister 6, B. Nyskohus 7, Kolecki 8. Metia 7. Rigby 6; Kowalski 8, Northcote 5, J. Nyskohus 6

South Melbourne Hellas showed improvement in the second half against Adelaide Juventus but the victory was not fully satisfying as Juventus fielded an experimental

Missing were Gary Marocchi, David Leane, Agenor Muniz who is recovering from an operation and Dixie Deans who is still in the UK.

Coach Edmund Kreft tried out South Australian State League players Robert Marwe (Croatia), Peter Kowalski (Lion), and Henry Kolecki (Polonia).

Mooroolbark's Dave Rigby and Lion's Bugsey Nyskohus were also in the team.

were also in the team.

Nyskohus, brother of John,
was the most impressive but
he had not yet been signed.

Best player affeld was
probably young Juventus
midfielder Sergio Melta, who
played many games as a full
back last year.

Peter Ollerton offered.

Peter Ollerton offered himself in all situations. Indeed, Hellas' attacking play was centred on the big man, and on Sammy Wright and Bertie Lutton coming from behind.

Ollerton had stiff opposi-tion from Juventus' Frank Lister yet still managed a good goal and a hand in the

Hellas coach Dave Maclaren predicts a big year for Ollerton

for Ollerton
Wright, another man of
whom Maclaren thinks highly,
was better than he was
against Hakoah the previous
week and we should see the
very best from him when the
season starts.

Hellas' play was based much more on long balls to Ollerton. The home team was far from impressive in the first half but played with much more fire and more understanding between the players.

Danish international goalkeeper John Hansen was particularly impressive, sav-ing many dangerous headers and shots from point-blank

range.
The first scoring chance fell to John Nyskohus who outpaced Mike Pye on his way to goal, but shot wide on the run.
Then Lutton set Ollerton up for a shot in good position but Ollerton miskicked from close

Peter Kowalski figured in a piece of gutsy play when he beat Margaritis Hagegmanoull on a right-ming run and put the ball into the middle.

However, it was in the middle of the attack that Juventus always failed. Brian Nortchote, usually a winger, did not do well as central striker, and Juventus will obviously be much better there when Ditie Deans returns.



Sammy Wright (ex-Wolves).

Marocchi, Perin, Leane and Deans still to be slotted in, it's hard to see how Kreft can use Kolecki who also plays in



Crash ... goes Duncan Cummings as Juventus full back Robert Marwe storms through. Picture by SAM BELFONTE.



Alexander's Mike Micevski (right) is shadowed by Neil McGachey of West Adelaide.

Memories. memories

By KYLE PATTERSON

FITZROY ALEXANDER 0 WEST ADELAIDE HELLAS 2 (MacGregor, Bozanic). Olympic Park, Saturday night. Bozanic). Ol Crowd 1400.

ALEXANDER: Blasby 7, MacMillan 6, O'Reilly 6, Provan 5, Tansey 5, Taylor 8, Bannon 6, Campbell 6, Bozikas 8, Buljevic 7, Micevski 7, HELLAS, Crook 7, Bozanic 7, Jones 9, Vaglanos 6 (Tymczysyn 7, half-tlime), Reynolds 8, McGachey 7, Zivikovic 7 (Zervas, half-time), Boyle 9, McCulloch 7, Honeryman 8, MacGfegor 8.

Ilme), Reynolds 8, McGachey 7, Zivi McCulloch 7, Honeyman 8, MacGleg Memories of last season's 1-8 defeat to Marconi came flooding back to Alexander on Saturday night. In the second half the Alexander defence fell to pieces and allowed the West Adelaide Hellas forwards to do as they pleased. Alexander had trouble stringing two passes together and often gave the ball away in defence. Even though the rain made the ground slippery and ball control difficult, it was no ex-cuse for Alexander's poor performance. Hellas, under John Margaritis, the former Fitzroy

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conth war guck to capitalise,
ander's defence. Graham
Honeyman and lan McGregor
had the Fitzroy back four at
sixes and sevens.

The game started slowly
with both sides taking time to
adjust to the wet conditions.
Mike Micovski and Andy
Bozikas looked the most
dangerous of the Fitzroy
forwards in the first half, but
Hellas sweeper David Jones
let little get past.

Fullback Barry Reynolds
support McGregor on the
fight flank for Hellas and, with
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The Alexander defence got
away with many sloppy passes in defence but in the second half it washt as lucky.

Ken Taylor nearly put
Fitzroy into the lead four
minutes into the second half.
He blasted a shot at goal from
5 metres and Martyn Crook
did well to push it over the
bar.

Not to be outdone, Alex
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made an equally good save at the other end from Honeyman. Alexander paid the penalty for its bad passing in the 61st

minute.

Under no pressure whatsoever, the defence gave the
ball to lan McGregor, who
tucked it into the net with

Pase.
From here on in Alexander went downhill.

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At one stage Pat Sannon
and Jim Campbell stand
looking at each other as
McGregor strolled in and took
the ball.

McGregor then put over a good cross which was headed wide by Honeyman. Peter Boyle, who had a great game for Helias in midfield, split the Fitzroy defence with some excellent long balls.

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The Alexander players became frustrated, particularly Branko Buljevic, who had a quiet game.

Victor Bozanik scored the second goal four minutes from the end from a free-kick which deflected off the wall into the net.

Honeyman had the chance to make it three, but he put the ball over the bar from close range.

Who knows what the score would have been had John Kosmina, who is going to try out with Arsenal, been playing for Hellas.

Alexander coach Tony Boggi made no bones about his team's performance. "We will have to work on it," he said.

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BAYERN MUNICH: DECLINE OF A GREAT TEAM

Bayern Munich has come a long way down since those recent years in which it won the European Cup three times and provided the players that formed the backbone of Germany's 1974 World Cup winning team.

Next came the depar-

ture of coach Dettmar Cramer who left for Eintracht Frankfurt and was replaced by Frankfurt's coach, Gyula



Bayern's squad

Bayern's former coach Dettmar Cramer (right) and Franz Beckenbauer in happier times.

The Bayern Munich squad is		
Goal	Age	Caps
Sepp Maier	32	77
Walter Junghans	19	
Defence:		
Peter Gruber	25	
Wolfgang Rausch	30	
Hans Georg		
Schwarzenback	29	43
Kurt Niedermayer	22	
Udo Horsman	25	
Wesely Schenk	22	
Sepp Weiss	25	
Midfield:		
Franz Roth	31	4
Branko Oblak	30	45 (Yug)
Jupp Kapeliman	28	5
Bernd Duernberger	24	
Alfred Arbinger	20	
Klaus Augenthaler	20	
Karl Heinz Wohland	24	
Attack:		122
Ull Hoeness	25	35
Karl Heinz Ruminigge	22	8
Gerd Mueller	32	63
Norbert Janzon	27	
Rainer Kuenkel	27	
Erhan Oenal	20	
Eduard Kirschner	24	
Fritz Kloo	20	
Willi Reisinger	19	

When things are good they are very, very good. When they're bad they're awful. Certainly that's been the case with Bayern.

Paul Breitner had left to play for Real Madrid, Uil Hoeness was in and out of hospital with knee injuries, Bjorn Anderson was also troubled by injuries, Gerd Mueller had an operation to his back and to top it off, there were some unwise transfers.

They included the Dane Klause Senerca who managed barely half a dozen games in the senior team and striker Klaus Wunder, the \$350,000 buy from Duisburg whose confidence was destroyed by living in Mueller's shadow.

When Bäyern made

when Bayern made offers for new players, the price invariably doubled. Wasn't it Europe's top club that was putting out the feelers, and didn't this club have endless money?

The players Bayern

The players Bayern did eventually manage to sign were no world beaters, although Schalke's Yugoslav international Branko Oblak did have a big reputation.

Hungary's finest

The Hungarian newspaper "Nep-sport" has chosen the following Hungarian Team of the Year for

1977:
Gaspar (MTK);
Torok (Vasas), Istvan
Kocsis (Honved),
Kereki (Bekescsaba),
Magyar (Raba); Pasztor (Bekescsaba) Pinter (Honved), Borso (MTK); Majer (Videoton), Torocsk (Dozsa), Tieber (Videoton).

At the half way mark of the Hungarian season, Ujpest Dozsa, with 26 points, was leading the table.

However, its brave 3-3-4 formation sometimes collapsed like a pack of cards and it lacked a class goalkeeper. Stars of the team are Zambo, Torocsik and Fazekas

In second place was deoton, with 25 Videoton, with 25 points, the top scoring team.

Cardiff for sale

Every player at England's Cardiff City is up for sale, says club manager Jimmy Andrews.

Andrews said the club was facing a major crisis.

Secretary Lance Hayward said: "Unless we can sell a couple of players there is a possibility the club could go out of existence."

He estimated the club needed at least 200,000 sterling (340,000 Aust. dollars) immediately to get back onto its feet, "and adequate revenue after

Cardiff City was 18th in the English Second Division, but not in immediate relegation danger.

Bayern is now floundering in the bottom half of the Bungesliga. Whether or not this great club can recapture the glories of the recent past remains to be seen.

Part of the answer may lie in the progress of Bayern's local rival TSV 1860 Munich, if 1860 builds on its recent improvement, it well rob Bayers well rob Bayern of an even larger share of the Munich audience.



Allan Simonsen — 1977 European Footballer of the Year.



Allan Simonsen (right) hurdles Kaiserslautern's Kroth and places the ball past gaolkeeper Hellstroem, with Wimmer and Scheer in the background.

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In one of the closest votes, Simonsen beat Kevin Keegan of Hamburger SV by 74 to 71, with Michel Platini of Nancy in third place with 70 votes.

Johan Cruyff, the only player to have won the award three times, finished with only 23 votes.

It is rumored that Barcelona will eventually bid a fortune for Platini as the successor to Cruyff.

Voting for the European Player of the Year award is done by leading sports journalists in each European country.

nalists in each European country.
They are asked to list in order the five players they consider to have been outstanding during the season.
Allan Simonsen, at just 5ft. 7 ins., has been with German club Moenchengladbach for five years.

He was signed from Danish club Velje in 1973 and has played nearly 20 times for Denmark.

Simonsen, 25, was a major force in Moenchengladbach's league hat trick from 1975-1977, its UEFA Cup triumph



Kevin Keegan (left) runner-up in the European Player of the Year voting, heads past Berl match between his former club Liverpool, and Moenchengladbach.

By the end of the season 1976/1977, Florians F.C. was the only team in Europe to win the domestic championship without conceding a defeat. Florians F.C., the second oldest club on sunny Malta, won the league championship for the 26th time in 76 years of histograms.

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Floriana was held twice to a draw, but in the other matches it ran out comfortable winners.
This was not the first time that the Greens won the championship undefeated but it was their first time without a defeat in a 18-match programme.
Floriana is the "team of the moment". It is the backbone of the Malta national team, which participated in Group III (Europe) in the World Cup champlonships 1978. Eight of the players are full internationals.

Protagonist is Willie Vassallo, cap-tain of the side and of the national team with 23 caps. A natural ball-player, Vas-sallo, is a tremendous midfleider, dominating in defence, and a capable scorer.

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Another prominent midfielder, Ray Xuereb, was having a trial with Newcas-tle United, the English First Division side.

side. When the Magpies toured Malta at the end of season 1976/1977, they were much impressed by the display of Xuereb in the Floriana-Newcastie (1-1) match. At the end of last season, Ray Xuereb was vided by the M.F.A. as the "Footballer of the Year".

Anton Camilleri, George Clanta
Frankie Micallef, John Holland, Edwi
Farrugia and George Xuerob are full in
ternationals.
Floriana could be considered as
"family team".
There were occasions when fou
pairs of brothers played in the sam
match. George and Ray Xueroe
Dorian, John and Julian Holland, Ra
and Rony Farrulia and Frankle an
Powie Micallef are brothers!
Floriana undoubtedly the most suc

Floriana undoubtedly the most successful team in domestic competitions is coached by **Tony Formosa**, previous by boss of Hamrun Spartans, Vallett F.C. and Malta.

Formosa was Malta's coach what the locals played England at Wemble Stadium (0-5) in the European Footba Championships in 1971.

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a best represented ry was West Germany, six players — Klaus er, Heinz Flohe, Berti Dieter Mueller, Rainer tof and Juergen weki.

PAST WINNERS

 Stanley Matthews
 (Blackpool, England)
 Alfredo di Stafano
 (Real Madrid, Argentina, Spain)





IRAN UNBEATEN

The following is a classification by the English magazine "World Soccer" of international results by European teams and the more successful teams from elsewhere (note the high position of Iran):

					Goals	%
	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	For Against	Success
HOLLAND	6	5	1	0	10. 1	91.6%
Portugal	4	3	1	0	10. 3	87.5
Iran	14	10	4	0	21. 4	85.6
Austria	8	5	3	0	17. 3	81.2
Mexico	13	9	3	1	36.12	80.7
West Germany	11	7	3	1	23. 9	77.2
Brazil	13	7	6	0	26. 5	76.9
East Germany	10	6	3	1	19. 7	75.0
Italy	7	5	0	2	16. 6	71.5
Scotland	10	6	2	2	18. 9	70.0
France	8	4	3	1	12. 4	68.7
Hungary	14	8	3	3	31.20	67.8
Rumania	9	5	2	2	20.10	66.6
Argentina	11	5	4	2	17.11	63.6
Bulgaria	8	4	2	2	12. 9	62.5
Russia	10	5	2	3	17. 8	60.0
Spain	6	3	1	2	5. 5	58.3
Tunisia	13	6	3	4	17.13	57.7
Israel	7	2	4	1	8. 6	57.1
Uruguay	9	3	4	2	11. 8	55.5
England	11	4	4	3	13. 7	54.5
Peru	13	5	4	4	24.16	53.8
Poland	13	6	2	5	22.21	53.8
Wales	9	2	5	2	6. 5	50.0
Paraguay	14	5	4	5	16.16	50.0
Denmark	10	5	0	5	18.19	50.0
Czechoslovakia	9	3	2	4	8.10	44.4
Chile	. 8	3	1	4	11.12	43.7
Elre	5	1	2	2	2. 3 *	40.0
Sweden	10	- 4	0	6	9.14	40.0
Switzerland	9	3	1	5	7.13	38.8
Ecuador	9	3	1	5	8.14	38.8
Yugoslavia	13	4	2	7	17.23	38.4
Bolivia	11	3	2	6	13.30	36.3
N. Ireland	7	2	1	4	7.12	35.7
Finland	8	2	1	5	6.16	31.2
Venezuela	5	1	1	3	3. 8	30.0
Norway	6	1	1	4 5	4. 8 3.18	25.0 25.0
Greece	8		2			20.0
Iceland	5	1	0	4	3.12	16.6
Belgium	6	1	0	5	5. 8	14.2
Colombia	7	0	2	5	2.14	
Turkey	8	1	0	7	6.14	12.5
Cyprus	3	0	0	3	2. 9	0.0
Malta	6	0	0	6	1.25	0.0
Luxembourg	4	0	U	4	0.11	0.0



Johnny Giles Johnny Giles will play for American National League side Philadelphia

Furles In the northern summer. Giles denied he would get 1,000 sterling (1,690 Aust.) Dollars) a game from the Furles and said that his career in the United States would not interfere with his commitments to Ireland.

Ireland.
Ireland plays Denmark in the European Nations Cup on May 24, but Giles said he would be returning to Ireland a few days before then.

Giles also said there may be a reciprocal

may be a reciprocal arrangement between his club, Shamrock Rovers, and the Furies. This would mean an Rovers, and the Furies. This would mean an exchange deal between the two clubs with the Americans playing in League of ireland soccer in the winter and the Irish playing in America during the summer.

Most came to see Pete

	NASL ATTEND	ANCES - 1977			
	Total	Games	Average	Cosmos Game	Normal Average
Cosmos	443,847	• 13	34,142		
Minnesota	426,020	13	32,771		
Seattle	314,936	13 13 13 . 13	24,226	41,270	22,805
Tampa Bay	253,390	13	19,492	45,288	17,341
San Jose	230,610	. 13	17,739		
Dallas	214,646	13	16,511		
Portland	171,708	13 .	13,208		
Washington	169,757	13	13,058	31,283	11,523
Vancouver	154,660	13	11,897	30,277	10,365
Los Angeles	125,354	13 13 13 13	9,643	32,165	7,765
St. Louis	118,455	13	9,112	32,605	7,154
Fort Lauderdale	105,923	13	8,148	14,358	7,630
Toronto	95,369	13	7,336	21,793	6,131
Las Vegas	92,496	13	7,115	11,896	6,716
Rochester	78,843	13 13	6,065	17,572	5,005
Chicago	67,593	13	5,199	21,108	3,873
Hawali	. 59,146	13 13	4,550	12,877	3,855
Connecticut	50,027	13	3,848	17,302	2,727

Latest attendance figures released by the North American Soccer League (NASL) shed a sobering light on the American soc-

cer boom.

The figures above show a 34 per cent increase over the 1976 attendances but half the teams were still averaging less than 10,000 spectators a game. It was only when Pele and the New York Cosmos came to town that attendances skyrocketed. In other words, the league was based heavily on the big money Cosmos and their super stars.

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to Bastia

Holland's Johnny Rep, on the ground, is foiled by Mike Doyle and Kevin Beattle in a game against England.

Dutch World Cup star Johnny Rep has joined French team Bastia, replacing Dragan Dzajic who has returned to Red Star Beigrade.

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BRISBANE	E TO LOSE
\$150,000	BACKING?

By BRUCE WADDELL

Living Insurance may withdraw its \$150,000 sponsorship of Brisbane

City.
Unofficial reports say the sponsorship deal proved unsatisfactory.

It was based on the club's ability to help sell insurance.

Apparently Brisbane City has not been too successful.

This is also the basis of Living Insurance's spon-sorship of Adelaide City Juventus.

Brisbane City secretary Guido Canale said last week Living Insurance and his club was currently having discussions to resolve the luture of the business association.

He said a statement would be issued before

Peter Tokesi

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the start of the season on March 4.

Meanwhile, Brisbane Lions, one of the most consistent second round national league clubs last season, looks like adding only a handful of newcomers to its squad for the 1978 competition.

The club will be in the hands of **Brian Daykin**, an Englishman who coached in Newcastle several years ago, and who since has been in charge of Brighton and Hove Albion in the English Second Division.

Lions' Major signing to date is striker Barrie Fairbrother, from Mooroolbark. Despite some rumors, Lions fear no problems with the transactions which would make the control of the contro

problems with the transaction, which would make Fairbrother the bargain purchase of the new season. Daykin last week outlined his anticlpated squad, starting with retained goalkeepers, last year's regular Phil Dando and his deputy Rod McKenzle.

At the back, Lions have retained Socceron Col Bennett, skipper George Potter and fullback Alan Niven, but Daykin is in search of a sweeper to support Bennett, indicating he feels Potter will be better suited to the side this year in one of the fullback positions.

Daykin is negotiating with Preston North End's sweeper Graham Cross, who if signed will be in Brisbane by April.

The basis of Lion's midfield formation will be provided again by Eddie Spearritt and John Neale, who played most of last season as a straight-

Stiles mould to play in between that pair.

The player in mind for that role would figure in one of the major announcements of the season.

He is currently playing in the English First Division but Daykin at this stage will not release any further details.

Other midfield men in the squad are last season's regular lan Fagan, Phil Thompson and John Wilkinson.

Thompson (Merton East) and Wilkinson (Sunnyside United) belong to Brisbane First Division clubs.

They are currently on trial and could be signed if they

adapt to the national league. Wilkinson already has proved his worth by filling in for Bennett on a couple of occasions last season. Up front, the signing of Fairbrother will take a temendous load of Goolf Morrie, the club's leading opalscorer last season, who Daykin says will now be able to concentrate more on orthodox left wing football.

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Daykin still has an opening for a target man to take the pressure of this pair and in this category he has included Paul Laslo, lan Lawrie and Alan Hughes.

Laslo, the former Yugoslav youth international, scored some great goals under pressure last year. The powerful youngster Lawrie did not impress as a midfielder, but Daykin feels he could be used to "crate space and receive" up front and be seen to better advantage.

Hughes somewhat of a story of the pressure that year, but Daykin feels he was used incorrectly, so only time will tell.

The third overseas player.

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The third overseas player in mind is Southend striker Gerry Fell, and he could well tip all of those just mentioned dut of the side if signed.

Daykin has created early strong impressions with his outlook and tips that any team that beats Lions, if Lions are comprised the way he anticipates, will be one of the major forces in the League.

He has been in Brisbane only five weeks since being chosen as a late replacement for Les Scheinflug, who returned refluctantly to Sydney for family reasons, but airedy has instilled in the club much of the confidence and vigour of his predeces sor.

Lions have been quiet in the early transfer dealings. City, which finished just below them in last season's league, has been even more so.

City has given its fans only one look at its wares so fer, with a trial against the promising newcomer. Newcastle United at Perry Park, the match finishing in a 1-1 draw.

The only regulars missing from that side were goalkeeper Osvaldo Borzi, who is still holidaying in his native Argentina, striker lan Johnston, usually a slow starter in pre-season Jim Hermiston.

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last year.
Status quo has been maintained in the midfield, with the retention of Roberto Echeverria, Larry Gaffney and a much silmmer Frank Pimblett.

Up front, City still has Johnston, workhorse Kevin Caldwell and the occasionally brilliant Wille Conner, plus John Coyne.

John Lavelle is a handy player to have ready to fill a defensive position, and City also is trialling three players, with a view to possible purchase.

aiso is training three players, with a view to possible purchase. They are two locals, centre forward Barry Kebs and midfielder Chris Hill, two members of Redlands United, Brisbane First Division grand final winners in 1977, and big Western Suburbs' (Sydney) forward Brian Dodd.

Kelso scored a goal for Queensland during the 4-4 draw with the Socceroos in Brisbane late last year and Hill has been a long serving member of the State under—18 team.

Dodd showed some fine touches against Newcastle, has some great positional sense and could be expected to sign if terms can be agreed on with Wests.

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on with Wests.
City's main problem at this stage again appears to be the lack of an effective striker but the club is negotiating with two First Division Argentinians and is hopeful of success.

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Another late report
suggests city is on the verge
of signing full back Steve
Perry and Western Suburbs
and such a move would undoubtedly make life much
own this basically unchanged
lineup performs under the
banner of Philips Cup holder
and under the leadership of
former Sydney coach
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Brisbane City stars Ian Johnston, (left) who hasn't started training yet, and goalkeeper

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CROWDS TURN

Barrie's used to big-time matches

By KYLE PATTERSON

Lots of players can't play in front of big crowds, but for Barrie Fairbrother, the former Orient and Millwall striker, the opposite applied.

"It was two months the most of it and get

striker, the oppo
"It was two months
before I played well in
Australia" says Barrie, "and
i put it down to the lack of
big crowds."
And fair enough too. No
player could motivate
himself before a handful of
spectators after having
played most of his career in
front of crowds of 20,000 or
more chanting fans.
Fairbrother played the
second half of last season
with Mooroolbark, whose
crowds wouldn't have done
justice to a State League
game.

game.
"It took me a while to adjust to the climate and the crowds," says Barrie, "but I thought I played well in the last half-dozen games of last year."

last year."
Fairbrother came to Australia in July. Unlike some other big name players he came for more than just a few weeks



Barrie Fairbrother

out players like Malcolm Macdonald or Charlie George unless they are going to play the whole season and really work for the team," says Barrie.

27 I think I've got si

the most of it and get financial security." For that reason, Barrie is moving to Brisbane Lions.

Fairbrother started his career in big time soccer at 16, when he became an apprentice at Orient.

prentice at Orient

Dennis Rode, now with
Leicester City, and Tommy
Taylor, the West Ham
defender, were apprentices
at Orient about the time
Barrie started.
"Dennis, Tommy and I
were all in the Orient first
team together," says Barrie.
He then transferred to
Millwall where he teamed
up with Gordon Hill, now
with Manchester United.
"Gordon had a lot of
natural ability," he says,
"and was tremendously
skilful."
Barrie played more than

Barrie played more than 250 games for Orient and Millwall, scoring more than



Barrie Fairbrother (extreme right, middle row), with the Millwall squad before he came to Melbourne. The squad is, from left, back row: Barry Salvage, Alan Welsh. Lee Templeman. Steve Hamberger, Trovor Lee. Alan Dorney. Middle row: Dave Donaldson, Jon Moore, Ray Goddard, Nicky Johns, Phil Summerhill. Barrie Fairbrother. Front row: Terry Shanahan. Terry Brisley. John Seasman. Barry Kitchener. Tony Hazell, Phil Walker. Ray Evens. George Borg.

"My most memorable game was an F.A. Cup tie against Chelsea in 1972," he says.

"I was with Orient and Chelsea was the holder of the U.E.F.A. Cup. At one stage we were down 0-2, but managed to fight back and level at 2-2. Late in the

goal for Orient. It was a great thrill."

Barrie was impressed by a few players at Mooroolbark.

"Paul and Geoff Ontong are really good players, but Alan Pongho impressed me the most. Alan is always in there and in my opinion Croydon City, which has

Alan now, has made the buy of the season."

Barrie's entry into Australia soccer was further hampered by the internat troubles at Mooroolbark. "The players did a great job keeping the spirit in the team when things went wrong," says Barrie.

Barrie and his wife Stan intend returning to England



A. R. Split's winning combination, back row from left: M. Dimac, S. Suryan, M. Samarotjija, N. Vulic, I. Cesljar. Front: Billy Vojtek, I. Ivanovic, L. Matic, B. Kuzmar, Jimmy Vojtek, M. Klarin, M. Marinac.

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Victorian Industrial League team A. R. Split has won the 1978 Monaah seven-a-

side tournament.
As record 40 teams battled it out at the Monash University grounds on the Saturday and Monday.

Teams were divided into four sections, with the top two teams from each section progressing to the quarter-finals. Split finished top of group one with 15 points from nine

games. In the quarter-finals Berardini

is back

Split defeated Keilor City

2-1.
Provisional League Crescent United tested Split in the semi-final but went down 0-2. Scorers for Split were Ceeljar and Billy Voltek.
The final was Split v. Box Hill of the First Division

Split was not deterred and went on to take the final 1-0 with Vojtek, the former Socceroo, scoring

former Socceroo, scoring the winner.

Although in the Fourth Division of the Industrial League, Split is not new to success. Last yer it finished runner-up in the Black Douglas Cup, a knock-out competition for all Industrial League teams.



Billy Vojtek is chaired off the field after scoring the winning goal for Split.



okalamos r Wests?

Victorian First Division club Western Suburbs has been negotiating for brilliant defender Mike Glykokalamos of Fitzroy Alexander.

Glykokalamos, 31, was team captain of Panetolikos in Greece during his six years with that club. He also played for Kazonis in Greece.

Glykokalamos left Kazonis in 1962 to join the now defunct Brunswick Athena club in Melbourne.

From there he went to Alexander before returning to Greece to play for Panetolikos.

He returned to Australia in 1976 and was Alexander's

best player that season.

Last year he had a few differences with the club and after starring early, he lost his place to **Bob Provan**.

Another new man at Western Suburbs is **George Skorsi**, 20, from Industrial League club KSC.

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Any clubs interested in Hili, formerly of George Cross, should contact secretary **Tom Torrance** on 792 5968 (evening only).

Striker Steve Gaw has been appointed assistant coach to Danny McMinimee at Doveton.





lose its ground

Melbourne, one of the oldest and most famous clubs in Victoria, faces a crisis because of a few feet of land.

The club's ground outside Middle Park is too short by Victorian Soccer Federation standards and now Melbourne face

Federation standards and now Melbourne face another year of wandering like gypsies from ground to ground.

"We are trying to purchase a 10-acre block in Moorabbin," says Melbourne official Julius Kublik, "but the developer doesn't want a sub-divide the block, which is 30 acres in all. "I am going to appeal to VSF secretary George Wallace to let us use the ground outside Middle Park," he continued. "After all, Melbourne was one of the founder members of the Federation and put up \$2000 along with the other founder clubs. Surely the Federation can now do us a favour."

Melbourne needs to

Melbourne needs to find a ground and restablish itself or it will lose its junior other clubs.
"Already Joe Kiss has gone to Western Suburbs and Shuart Fowler wants a transfer. Melbourne can't afford to lose young stars like those two," says Kubik.

Determined

Doncaster Rovers, promoted to the Third division for 1978, will be looking to establish itself this season.

The last time Rovers won promotion they slid back the following season. Under experienced coach Norm Hobson it should be different this time.

Peter Willeberg returns to Doncaster after a spell at

joins Moreland



First division club, Box Hill is aiming for a hat-trick of Cumberland Cup

wins.

Under new coach Colin Hasler, the Hillmen will be going all-out to make it three in a row.

Serge Berardini (pictured) who played in both Cumberland Cup finals for Box Hill, returns after missing half of last season while working in Canberra.



Sandy Henderson during his heyday as goalkeeper with Hakoah.

Sandy Henderson, the former Hakoah goalkeeper, it the new coach of Moreland. The club has embarked on a four-year plan which aims at making it great again, and hopes Henderson can lift it into the First division this eas

Moreland gave notice of its determination to succeed by defeating State League Club, Altona 2-1 in a trial game last

week.
Henderson coached Box
Hill last season.
Moreland held a "meet the
coach-back to Moreland" day
which was well attended by
supporters and past players

sapporters and past players last Sunday.

Moreland has signed brothers David and Paul Locley, who played in the Worcester League in and has promising juniors Rob Cortess, Gary Paols, Ian Merga, Angle Acosta and Zoran Trajkovic coming into senior ranks.

As part of the four-year plan, sponsors have put money into the club. The first project is the building of a temporary grandstand at Moreland's Campbell Reserve.

Coburg Council has assisted by improving the playing area at Campbell Reserves or bat another pitch can be marked out.

Croydon's hit

are proving a great success.
The eastern suburbs club is averaging 200 people at its bingo on Mondaynights in the newly air-conditioned rooms.
Croydon hopes that youngster Mark Brown goes on to big things this year, Seventeen-year-old Mark represented Victoria at Under Its level last year and has the talent to make the first team.

GROUP ONE Argentina Italy Hungary

Groupings for the 1978 World Cup finals in Argentina this year: GROUP TWO West Germany Poland Mexico

Little hope for

GROUP THREE Brazil Sweden Austria

GROUP FOUR Holland Scotland Iran



Menotti.

So many factors work against Argentina that it's difficult to see Cesar Luis Menotti's team making capital of the advantage of playing at home in the World

Cup.
One of Argentina's greatest hurdles may well be Menotti's own idealism.





Kempes



so y greatest TUTUIOS's own idealism.

He is fiercely committed to a style of play that is diametrically opposed to the style used by most of Argentina's clubs.

While the clubs base their games on defence, Menotti demands that his national team put the emphasis on attack.— an admirable antally the straught with danger.

Menotti must realise it raught with danger.

Menotti must realise it would be easier, but we can't go into a World Cup with these tactics which are played by our club teams," he says. "They use high passes into the goalmouth in the hope that somebody will head them in. Everybody defends and hopes a fast counter attack will catch the opposition unaware.

"I don't want this to be the image of Argentine soccer. With the national team it would like to destroy old theories which are no longer of any use. I would like to show that we can win Obviously Menotit will.

Syphyming good attacking soccer."

Obviously Menotti will have to change the fundamental thinking of his players, although he has gone for men who are at least sympathetic to his approach.

His biggest problem is lack of fire power up front, and you can't play attacking soccer without good men who are able to put the ball into the net. To strengthen his attack, the new of the strengthen his many the strengthen his attack, the new of the strengthen his first Spanish central to Velencia for an Argentine record price of about \$840,000.

In his first Spanish cason, In 1974 poscorer in the league, scoring 24 goals, two more than Espanol Barcelona's Rafael Maranon.

In 1974 he scored 29 goals for Rosario, in 1975 he scored 35 and in 1976 he grabbed 21.

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Argentina including the 1974 World Cup finals and has scored a total of 14 goals for his country.

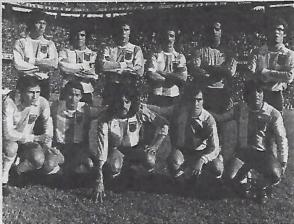
No wonder Menotit wants him in his squad. He says his ideal attack would be based on Kempes, Luque Bertoni, and Houseman.

Menotit has also had to look overseas for another Argentinian expatriate, over the proper season of the Prench club St. Elienne.

The Argentinian Fadecided last year to bart transfers abroad for players needed for World Oup duty, but the decision came much



Carlos Babington — playing in Germany.



Argentina, 1978: standing from left: Pasarella, Gallegos, Killer, Pernia, Baley, Tarantini. Front: Bertoni, Andiles, Luque, Bochini,



Argentina's 1974 World Cup squad in Germany, standing from left: Carnevali, Guerini, Brindiei, Houseman, Heredla, Correa, Fillol, Ghiso, Pernia, Sanchez. Front: Telch, Babington, Avallay, Chazarreta, Ponce, Alonso, Wolff, Ayala, Esposito, Rial.

too late. Most of the big stars had gone by then — Kempes, Wolff, Piazza Slanchi, Scotta, Alonso (now back). Brindler, Bebington, Heredie, Bargas and others.

It's impractical to get all of them back. It's probably impossible. Those Menotti does manage to lure home for the World Cup, face the handicap of jealousy.

Carlos Bebington, who plays for German second division club SG Wattenscheid, explains: "There's a lot of jealousy among players in Argentina. At the time of the last World Cup, the existence who were resemble as who were the second of the sales who were second on the sales who were the second of the sales who were the sales who were the sales who were second on the sales who were second on the sales who were second on the sales who were the sales who were second on the sales who were the sales who were the sales who were second on the sales who were second on the sales who were the sales who

his team lacks a strong leader on the field. He yearns for a Johan Cruyff or a Franz Beckenbauer.

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Other problems have been frequent difficulties in getting the squad together for training due to club commitments, a shortage of international fixtures and the fact that the present standard of club soccer is extremely low.

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One fundamental difference between Argentine and European players, says Menotti, is that when an Argentinan loses the ball "it takes him a minute to realise the game continues." In other words, the players think slowly.

In matches at home against Poland, West Germany, England, Scotland, France, Yugoslavia and



Rene Houseman

Rene Houseman

East Germany last year, a
number of serious shortcomings in the Argentine
team were highlighted.

These were:

• The defence does not
clear the ball fast enough,
thus throwing away the
chance for quick counter atfacks;

• The midfielders hold
the ball too long;
• In attack, Houseman
may be unstoppable but his
efforts are individual ones,
not connected with flowing
play. Bertoni is the only one
willing to have a go at the slightest chance;
• Bertoni and Pernia
were both sont offreminding us once again of
the difficulty the Argentinians have in controlling
their tempers.

For all that, however, Argentina will nevertheless boast some exclining players in the finals. For the final serioni, 23, who has a tough left foot and can play on the wing as well as striker, may be one of the revelations of the series. He scored 22 goals last season to finish third in the national rankings and push his club, independiente, to second place behind River Plate. Against Hungary just over a year ago he hit an impressive hat-trick in Argentina's 5-1 win.

Whether Diego

Sive nat-trick in Argentina's 5-1 win. Whether Diego Maradona will be recalled remains to be seen. He would certainly catch the eye, for he is only 16 years old

eye, for he is only 16 years old.
Of course Plezza, 30 would also be a big hit. He has long been established as one of the finest sweepers in the world. Then there is a patin detender, and hard-working midfleid Ardlies who's also capable of fine play.

Argentina '78

the last sixteen

21 players tried out

From EGIDIO BASILE GRAZZI in Buenos Aires.

Twenty-two
European teams of
the 34 Associations
affiliated to UEFA
have played
against the Argen-

against the Argentinian team to date.
Until now, these confrontations have given
rise to a total of 72
matches, some of which
were part of the world
championships (1930,
1958, 1962, 1966), of the
Olympic Games (19281960) and some friendly
internationals.
Details of the matches
played by the Argentinian team against EuroAs further statistical da

Peans are as follows:

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Bulgaria 11 0 0 1:0

CSSB 3 11 1 5:9

Demarrix 10 0 1 2:3

Settland 10 1 0 1:1

As further statistical data, we also add a table of atches between youth teams:

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France	. 3	2	1	0	5:2
Notherlands	. 2	2	0	0	11:1
Heagery	. 2	2	0	0	3:1
Greece	. 1	1	0	0	3:0
Germany Fit	. 2	1	0	1	4:3
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the seve					
played by					

played by the Argentinian team in the International series against European teams from May 29 to July 12 1977 at the Stadium of Boca Juniors in Buenos Airea. The team directed by Cesar Luis Menotti, played seven matches, winning three and losing one, thus obtaining nine points of the possible 14 with an efficiency average of 64.29 per cent.

They scored nine poals in 630 minutes of play (one every 70 minutes) and eight were scored against them (one every 105 minutes). Of the goals in favour, five were scored as a result of direct actions of play (Pasarella and Carrascose as defenders, Luque and Houseman, torwards); three by penalty-kicks by Vertoni and Pasarella (2) and one by a free-kick from outside the penalty area by Bertoni.

The goals against were scored on five occasions resulting from direct action of play (four were headed) and one from a penalty-kick.

The Argentinian manager used 21 players and made 14 changes in the seven matches played and only Luque and Ardlles (forward and wing) were present at all seven matches.

The most positive result was the massive stetendance of spectators, which brought in

a, we also add a table of ams:

a gate (excluding season ticket holders) of 105.264.350 new Argentinian Pesos.

The best gate was against England, which amounted to the sum of 30,000.300 new Pesos and the least was against the German DR, which reached 21,813,700 Pesos.

Players used:
Goalkeepers: Gatti (Boca) and Baley (Huracan); Defenders:
Pernia and Tarantin (Boca), Pasarella (River). Carrasceps (Huracan), Kilier (Racing) and Olguin (San Lorenzo); Wings: Ardliee (Huracan), Kilier (Racing) and Olguin (San Lorenzo); Wings: Ardliee (Huracan), Villa (Racing), Bechini (Independiente); Forwards: Houseman and Larross (Huracan), Luque, Oritz and Gonzalez (River), Bertoni (Independiente) and Trossero (Newell's).

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series were: 29.5.77, Argentina v Peland, 3-

5.6.77, Argentina v Germany FR. 1-3. 12.6.77, Argentina v England, 1-

18.6.77, Argentina v Scotland, 1-26.6.77, Argentina v France. O-

3.7.77, Argestina v Yegoslavia,

1-0. 12.7.77, Argentina v German DR,



Americo Ruben Galleno

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Prosle riedelje smo procitali u novinama da Nogometni savez Viktorije vodi niz pregovora se poznatim klubovima iz Evrope i Amerike rad njihovog gostovanja u Australiji. Prema objavljenom pistu, pokvog gostovanja u Australiji. Prema objavljenom pistu, pokvog disestenia premenom pistu, pokvog disestenia proporteno za prosperitet nogometa i ko bi svo od tih slinih turno potrebno za prosperitet nogometa i ko bi svo od tih slinih turno prema prosperitet nogometa i ko bi svo od tih slinih turno prema prem

Prema tome sve turneje poznatih klubova iz Evrope ili Amerike treba organizovati van sezone, kada to najbolje odgovara nasim klubovima. Uz to treba voditi racuna o podeli prihoda. Ne smeju, se vise zaboravljati klubovi koji daju igrace za reprezentazlju.

JUST je prosle nedelje mirovao, jer su sve termine zauzeli Hellas i Alexander. Navijaci "plavih" su zeljni da vide svoje Ijubimce u okrasijima, kako bi se sto bolje pripremili za napornu sezonu koje je na pragu. Jedino sto je do sada trener Cirković mogao da ugovori to je trening utakmica protiv Port Melburna na bivsem Igralistu Slavije u sredu 8. Februara. Utakmica pocine u 6 sati uvece. Teren je dobar i prostran pa se moze razviti lega igra: "PLAVI" ce probati sve igrace, kao i novog golmana Larija Ostrovskog, koji je presao iz Polgpije.

U nedelju, pre godisnje skupstine JUST-a, stigao je iz Evrope sedrelar "plavih" Hary Iser. Proveo je puna dva meseca u istoc-loj i srednjoj Evrope, ali nam nije hteo reci da i je ulovio meso-ovu zvezdu za JUST. Jedino nam je preneo pozdrave inter-nacionalca Michael Rosce, koji je dve godine sa uspehom nosio res JUST-a a Viktorije. Rosca je bio spreman da opet dodje u nasu sredinu, ali ga sprecavaju prodicni razlozi i posao.

Navijaci JUST-a iz Springvala i okoline, koji organizuju PLAVU NOC u subutu 25. februara, uveravaju nas da ce te veceri porad trenera Cirkovica i vec poznath igraca, prisutn moci da upoznaju jos najmanje jednog novaliju iz Jugoslavije, koji je do skora nosio dres Olimpije, Prvu nagradu bogate lutrije dace nedna od brojnih putnickih agencija koja uspesno posiuje sa Jugoslovenima.

Lepu i zanimljivu utakmicu su odigrali prosle subote Makedonija i Llons u Prestonu. Preko 2000 gledalaca nije marilo sto je padala kisa cele noci, pa su im se igraci oduzili borbenom igrom, koja je na memente bila suvise ostra. Susret se zavislo bez odluke. Makedonija je postigla leg gol u prvom poluvremenu, dok je Branko Culina Izjednacio u drugom, ali iz pozicije koja je mirisala na ofsajć. Makedonija je bila behnicki bolja, dok je Llons bio brzi na luptu.

DOBRODOSLI JUNIORI

Pepe Dugino, uspesni trener juniora JUST-a, poceo je sa treninzima pre dve nedelje Zadovoljan je sa odzivom decak az-nad 12 godina, ali bi bio stretan kada bi video vise malisina od 9 do 12 godina. Ukoliko ima zainteresovanih rodetelja, neka prime k znanju da su treninzi svakog petka od 5 sati po podne na JUST-ovom igralistu u Footscray-u.

U nedelju 12. februara juniori JUST-a ispod 13 godina igraju rijateljsku utakmiću protiv Hawthorna. Pocetak u 11 sati pre odne na juniorskom igralistu JUST-a.

Delikaris dumped by Olympiakos!

Greek First Division team Olympiakos Piraeus has suspended its international star forward George

Armstrong says

he'll play on

Jim Armstrong, all-time top goalscorer in the Victorian State League, is to continue playing for Juventus.

Armstrong suffered a ruptured Achilles tendon at the end of last season and there was some doubt about whether he would play again.

Armstrong underwent an operation and spent six weeks in plaster during the summer. He has been doing light training for the past four weeks, but won't be able to play in the Ampol Cup.

Delikaris for two years.

The club had decided by vote to put an end to the controversy that surrounded one of Greece's most brilliant second relayers.

rounded one of Greece's most brilliant soccer players.
George Delikaris has been known as the troublemaker in the club, having more written about his financial and disciplinary matters than his performances in the game.
Olympiakos feels Delikaris has been a bad example to the younger players of the team and that he created a false impression to the recently-bought

impression to the recently-bought players from Europe.

At the executive committee's meeting, the club's president Mr Teltsalls asked for the dismissal of the player, saying the situation between Delikaris and Olympiakos had become unbeerable.

A spokesman for Olympiakos said that never in the club's history had such a decision met with the tremendous backing from the supporters that it is receiving now.

He also said that the club received dozens of letters and telegrams of support and this showed that Olympiakos had made the right decision.

Although Delikaris' career at Olympiakos has come to an end, the player himself seems to be taking the suspension lichtly books of the the telegraphic seems to be taking the suspension lichtly books of the the telegraphic seems to be taking the suspension lichtly books of the the telegraphic seems to be taking the suspension lichtly books of the second telegraphic seems to be taking the suspension lichtly books of the second telegraphic seems to be taking the suspension lichtly books of the second telegraphic seems to be taking the suspension telegraphic seems to b sion lightly, hoping it won't effect his football career due to the fact that he can take advantage of the 8-years' ser-

According to this federation faw, a player who has been with the same club for eight years is eligible for a transfer at any time to the club of his

However, a player with a two-year-suspension like Delikaris might find other clubs rather reluctant to sign him.

Delikaris did not make any comment about his suspension. It is not known yet whether he will decide to remain in Greece to play soccer or continue his career in the United States or Australia



George Delikaris

Women impress

"It's just a matter of building up the calf muscle," says Jim, "and I should be ready for the start of the season proper."

Armstrong, who is a P.E., teacher, reckons he has three or four years left as a player. He had scored 151 goals in the State League and played for Hakoah and Hellas before coming to Juventus. The Association staged an exhibition match at the Dandenong Australia Day festival and was given an excellent reception. Most of the large crowd had not seen women's soccer before and were surprised at the skill and vigour the girls showed.

The organisers have asked the association to stage another game at next year's festival.

another game a... festival. The players were drawn from teams in the V.W.S.A. and included several

Australian and Victorian representatives.

The "Blue" team had the advantage over the "Gold" line-up in the first-hait, with Mergaret Rust and Bev Hubbard giving it a 2-0 lead at the break.

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The sides were altered for the second half to get a more even encounter, but the "Blue" iteam went on to win 4-1 with second half goals to Bev Hubbard and Gayle McQuarry. Carole Wrench replied for the "Gold" ream. To cap off a great day, the Dandenong-Westernport Building Society presented a trophy to the association and a medal to each girl.

Second division Ferntree Gully has put the emphasis on youth for 1978. Three first-team players from last season — Sammy Jordan, Franz Zeegars and George Robinson — have been put on the transfer list to make room for youngsters. Alan Stenhouse has been re-appointed coach. PRE-SEASON

prefere.

The problems of building a team and controlling a squad are so varied that no amount of writing can cover all the contingencies.

However, in the following, i shall attempt to put forward ideas on pre-season and competition period training based on my own experience and trust that these will at least provide some assistance and basis for thought.

Three for sale

collective objectives

Plan to improve the individual performance of the
players. For example, the
goalkeeper is weak in dealing
with high crosses or the
centre forward is not effective
with his back to the opponents' goal, etc.
Problems involving more
than one player should be
looked at. For example, the
wo centre backs do not cover
each other or the passing of
midfield players needs improving, etc.

sign on a new player just because he is free or, if money is involved, you think you can afford him. Make sure that the players you sign will improve the team and not just add to the number of players on your books.

(D) Check on facilities and equipment available

To plan your training sessions properly, you must know what equipment you will have at your disposal, when the ground is available for training, are there flood lights; if so, how effective, etc.

Plan" for season

After having dealt with
points A, B and C, you will be
in a position to set a plan for
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performance of the material
at your disposal through the
most economic use of time,
facilities and equipment
available for training.

director of coaching, now coach of Melbourne. (F) Prepare detailed plan for pre-season training sessions

By KEN KONTRA, former Victorian State coach and

Within the framework of the "master plan" one should allow about three months for pre-season training. How one uses this time depends on priorities arising from points A and B and facilities available as per point C.

C.
Generally speaking, I should split the three months into three equal parts as follows:

follows:
1st Month: Fitness objectives: Stamina, strength; Tactical objectives: Individual

skill.

2nd Month: Power, speed, agility and Individual skill related to position in team, group skills.

3rd -Month: Match fitness and team tactics, match play.

TRAINING DURING THE COMPETITION PERIOD

After the foundation work is completed, the next task of the coach is to maintain fitness, sharpness and interest as well as conflued improvement during the period of pressure of weekly competition.

One often hears that team is 'state' or 'overtrained' during the second half of the season.

Let me state that in my oblem.

Season. Let me state that in my opinion, it is practically impossible to physically overtrain a learn.

ble to physically overtrain a team.

Actually, the chances are that exactly the opposite has occurred and due to insuf-ficient workload and/or ap-plication, de-training has set in.

A competition match once

Melbourne.

a week is not enough to maintain fitness. On the other hand, badly prepared, boring training sessions, no matter how lengthy, hard and frequent, will not achieve the desired effect either. On the contrary, lack of interest and application will destroy most of the normal benefits gained through training.

The symptoms of physical de-training and mental fatigue and lack of motivation are similar.

The following are guidelines for training during the competition period as I see them.

(1) For fitness content, work on a three-week cycle-first week — heavy load, Second week — medium load, Third week — light load, (2) Arrange your training so that you have 48 hours rest between solid fitness sessions and before and after a match.

slons and Derore an amatch.
(3) Introduce plenty of variety to maintain interest.
(4) Plan your sessions properly so that there is no time wasted. A short sharp one hour-session is better than a dragged out two-hour session, especially on a cold, rainy night.

session, especially on a cold, rainy night.

(5) Avoid lengthy stoppages as much as possible even when correcting faults during a factical session.

(6) Use functional practices and conditioned games for the specific purpose of correcting faults from the previous match, and to prepare for the next opponent. Once a week put the pieces together in a full scale practice match, giving clear-cut instructions before the start and then coach during the game.

A view from the junior ranks BY LEIF JENSEN

Season too

Is the soccer season too long for our junior players?

I know this question has been asked before, but have you ever sat down and worked out just how many games our juniors play in what I think is a very long season? season?
Training for most boys starts early in February (some even earlier) so if you then add on after-season carnivals or "going away trips", it means our lads don't stop playing until November.
The regional trials start in the middle of November.

playing until November.
The regional trials start in the middle of November, breaking for about six weeks over Christmas before restarting again in early February, which means that a lot of juniors get only that six week breath in 2 most be week breath 12 most be the reason for so many lads giving the game away at the age of 15?

long?

Now, you may doubt my mental capacity, or you may even call my parenthood into question, but let's see what would happen if we played a game every second week, as we have been doing for years.

1. It would give us more time to coach our boys.

2. It would solve a lot of ground problems.

3. All league games could be played on a Sunday instead of some on a Saturday.

4. It would enable us to ground problems.

Another

Mowbray

Richard Mowbray, 23, will join his brother Henry at Hakoah-Easts. Richard, a central defender, was an appren-tice at Aston Villa and has lately been playing junior football in Scotland.

and State team games on the free weekends, and would stop the two-game-in-one-weekend caper.

5. It would leave all of us free to spend more time with our families, do the gardening, go and watch the footy, have a game of cricket, or any one of a hundred things people like to do.

6. But most important, it might stop our 16-year-old lads saying to us: "I gave soccer away because, for the past nine years, I have played so much that it is running out of my ears."

Last of all, we might just be able to solve the problem of too many games and not enough referees.

Let us have your comments on the above idea. Write to L. G. Jensen, c/o Soccer Action. You know we will print your letters, so let's hear from you now.

Curcija to Richmond



Eithem has lost top forward Rayko Curcija ictured 2nd from right, front row) to Rich-

mond.

He will be nard to replace, Eltham will be without John Rattery and Gordon Kirkwood, who have retired, and goalkeeper Lyndon

Finlay because of business commitments.
The club hopes youngsters Fraddy
Vanderslick and Nell Balley can fill some of
the gaps in the first team. Freddy and Nell
have come through Etham's junior set-up
and are both 16-year-olds.

(A) Preparation for the

The work of a coach starts well before the season's first training session. A lot of forward planning is required to ensure that under the circumstances and with the material available, optimum results are achieved. The points to be taken into consideration are as follows:

• Assess playing strength and form your squad;
• Set individual and collective objectives;

Prepare for season;
 Prepare programme for pre-season training session.

(B) Assess playing strength and form your squad

Based on the previous season's experience, replace where possible players not up to standard in order to strengthen the team.

The first place to look for new talent is your reserve team and juniors. Having checked these sources, the next step is to look at the transfer market.

A word of warning; do not

(E) Prepare "Master Plan" for season

ATTOPAPPYNONTAL OI MOLOZOAIPIETEE

Μέχρι στιγμής έχου με μάθει γιά δύο πε-ριπτώσεις ποδοσφαιρι στών πού έγκατέλει-ψαν τήν Έθνική Κα-πηγορία λόγω τοῦ ακληρού προγράμμα-τός της καί φυσικά τῶν χαμηλῶν ἀποδοχών. Καί οἱ δύο περι πτώσεις τῶν ποδοσφαιριστών, καί δέν ἀποκλείεται νά άκολουθήσουν κι άλλες, θέτουν τό έρώτημα: Αμοίδονται Ικανοποιητικά οἱ ποδοσφαιριστές; 'Αμοίδονται ά-νάλογα μὲ τίς ὧρες πού διαθέτουν γιά προπονήσεις, τά ταξί δια πού τούς κρατούν μακρυά ἀπό τίς οἰκο-γένειές τους, γιά τούς τραυματισμούς

דו סטשפפועבו ס' בναν ποδοσφαιριστή ό όποξος τραυματίζεται σοδαρά καί όχι μόνο ἀπουσκούνεται ἀπό γήπεδα άλλά χάνει καί τήν μόνιμη του έργασία καί μάλιστα χωρίς καμμία ἀποζημίωση ἀφοῦ τό άτύχημα συνέβει έ-

άτύχτημα συνέθει εκτός έργασίας; 'Αξίζει τόν κόπο γιά ερικές έκατοντάδες δολλάρια; Πόσο ασίδονται οι ήμιεπαγ γελματίεα ποδοσφαι-ριστές τῆς Αύστραλί-

Μέχρι σήμερα πολύ δύσκολα καταφέ ραμε νά μάθουμε τίς δασικές αποδοχές ένός μέσου ποδοσφαιριστή. Καί μιλάμε γιά πόν ποδοσφαιριστή πού θρίσκεται στήν Αύστραλία καί ὄχι τό «Σούπερ Στάρ» πού είναι καθαρά ἐπαγ-γελματίας καί πού ἔρ χεται ἀπό τήν Εὐρώ πη γιά μερικά παιγνί δια. Μιλάμε γιά τόν ποδοσφαιρστή πού δέν χάνε καμμία ἀπό τίς προπονήσεις τῆς όμάδος του που έχει παίξει σ' όλους σχε δόν τούς άγῶνες τοῦ πρωταθλήματος.

'Ο ποδοσφαιριστής αύτός, τό μεγαλύτε-ρο ποσόν στό όποιο υπορεί νά έλπίζει είναι 150 δολλάρια τήν έβδομάδα κι αύτό φυ οικά μόνον όταν νι-κα ή όμάδα του. "Αν χάσει τότε μπορεί νά κάτω στά 80 δολλάρια ἄσχετα ἄν ετρεξε, ἄν Ιδρωσε, ἄν αὐτός ਜταν ὁ κα-λύτερος τοῦ γηπέ-

Οἱ σύλλογοι δέν ἔχουν φυρικά καμμία διάθεση - γιά λό-γους ἐφορίας - νά μᾶς δηλώσουν τίς ἀποδοχές του κάθε παίκτη άν καί στήν πε ρίπτωση τῶν ὁμάδων πού ἔχουν γίνει ἐπι-χειρήσεις οἱ ἀποδο-χὲς τῶν ὑπαλλήλων παραμένουν πάντοτε Ιδιωτική ύπόθεση.

Υπάρχουν λοιπόν καί παίκτες -VEGPO πλειοbnola καί καινούργοι στήν όμάδα - πού παίρνουν καί λιγώτερα. Καί κανείς ἀπό αὐτούς δέν μπορεί νά δνομαστεί, ἀπόλυτα, έπαννελματίας.

Γιά τό διοτικό ἐπίπεδο τῆς Αὐστραλίας σὲ σύγκριση μέ τήν δουλειά πού κάνουν πούς κινδύνους τραμ ματισμού πού διατρέ-χουν, τά χρήματα πού παίρνουν είναι ψί



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Κι αὐτό κάνει τόν ποδοσφαιριστή περισ ισότερο κυνικό. Παίζει μπάλλα γιά κάτι έξτρα στό πορτοφάλι του καί γιατί τοῦ ἀρέ σει νά παίζει μπάλλα. 'Ορύονται τότε δ λοι, προπονητής, συμ δούλιο, φίλαθλοι. Κα-νείς δέν ρωτά τόν Ιδιο ποδοσφαιριστή άν Αυστραλίας έχει ένδιαφέρου γι αὐτόν. Τί του προσφέρει τέ λος πάντων:

Σέ τί μπορεί ν' ἀπο δλέπει ἕνας νεαρός ποδοσφαιριστής πού ξεκινά γιά μιά καρ-ριέρα στήν Αύστραλία; Λεφτά, δόξα, τα ξίδια ἀνά τόν κόσμο; Πολύ λίνα ἀπό σύτά. Σέ πολλές περιπτώ σεις ἀπολύτως τίποτα.

'Αποτέλεσμα: 'Αδια φορία ἀπό μέρους τῶν ποδοσφαιριστῶν πού ἀποβλέπουν μόνον στό χρῆμα καί πού συμβαίνει αύτο! νά είναι οί περισσότε ροι ἄν ἄχι ἄλοι.

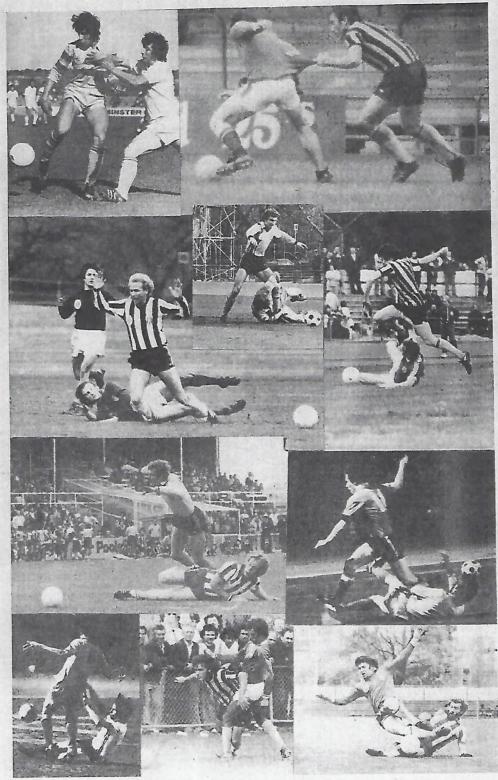
"Ηδη ἀναφέραμε τίς δύο περιπτώσεις. 'Ο ἕνας θέλει ν' ἀσχοληθεί περισσότερο μὲ τήν οἰκογένειά του καί λινώτερο μέ τό ποδόσφαιρο σὲ ἐ θνικό ἐπίπεδο. Κι αὐ τό διότι δὲν ἀμοίθεται ἀνάλογα μὲ τήν δουλειά πού κάνει. 'Ο δεύτερος προτίμησε πάνω στά καλύτερα χρόνια του γιά ποδο σοαιρική καρριέρα ν' άσχοληθεί περισσότε ρο μέ έθνικές καλλι τεχνικές έκδηλώσεις κι αὐτό διότι ἀπογοη τεύθηκε άπό την έθνική κατηγορία καί τό πρωτάθλημά της. Ένα καλό ταλέντο ποδοσφαίρου πάξι κα μένο.

Τό Σταίητ Λήγκ τε λείωσε γιά τίς μεγά-λες όμάδες. Τό πρόγραμμα τοῦ ἐθνικοῦ πρωταθλήματος ἔγινε піб ἀπαιτητικό τούς ποδοσφαιριστάς πιό κουραστικό καί γιά τίς οἰκογένειές τους. Τό εἰσιτήριο τους. Τό εισι.... τών ἀγώνων πρωτα-ολόματος ἀνέθηκε Αὐθλήματος ανεθήκε στά 3 δολλάρια. Αύ-τό όμως πού έμεινε στό ίδιο έπίπεδο είναι οι αποδοχές τῶν ποδοσφαιριστών καί φυσικά τό ἐνδιαφέρον τους γιά τό παιγνίδι.

Ή λύση τοῦ προ-δλήματος φωνάζει μό νη της καί μάλιστα ά-πό καιρό, Ε<u>Π</u>ΑΓΓΕΛ-ΜΑΤΙΣΜΟΣ.

Μόνον μέ ἀπόλυτο ἐπαγγελματισμό θά πᾶμε μπροστά. Μό-νον μὲ τόν ἐπαγγελ ματισμό θά κινήσου-με περισσότερο τό èv διαφέρον τῶν παικτῶν καί θά τραθήξουμε πε ρισσότερο κόσμο στά γήπεδα.

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Soccer often gets desperate, and when it does players resort to foul play.
It's a fact of soccer life. No one wants to lose, so the talented opponents must be stopped at all costs. Our photographer SAM BELFONTE has assembled a collection of some of his most graphic shots, capturing blatant fouls and some that weren't as blatant.
The pictures, working down from left to right, show:

• Chris Kent of South Melbourne Hellas, uses his arms to unsettle Canberra's Danny Moulls;

• Jed Bannon of Juventus (Vic.) uses the old shirt pullling trick;

• Joe Picioane (J.U.S.T.) takes the half and the land

Jed Bannon of Juventus (vic.) uses the old shirt pulling trick;
 Joe Picloane (J.U.S.T.) takes the ball and the legs of Adelaide Juventus midfielder Agenor Muniz;
 Branko Buljevic (Fitzroy Alexander) is stopped by a Canberra player attached to his leg;
 John Hotson of Juventus (Vic.) tries to hurdle an Essendon player but is about to be tripped by a raised leg:

leg;

• There goes Bullevic again — this time stopped by Mooroolbark's Peter Ellis;

• The ball is gone, but a pair of legs are there nevertheless, to stop Preston Makedonia winger Brian Flaherty:

Fisherty;

• A sliding tackle by George Cross (Vic.) winger
Robert Cullen — but watch Cullen's hands tucked into
the back of his opponent's shirt;

• A thigh can also prove a formidable barrier, as
Rocco Santangelo of Juventus (Vic.) finds out;

e Crash goes Chris Kalafatidis of South Melbourne Helias, as Barrie Fairbrother of Moorpolbark alides in

French uncover a football Watergate

FRENCH soccer's celebrations over World Cup success have been rudely interrupted by a major financial scandal involving first division Paris Saint-Germain — a sort of football Watergate.

And a hastily-convened commission of inquiry set up by the French FA has banned PSG president **Daniel Hechter**, the world-famous couturier, from soccer for life.

Also banned have been two club of-ficials, Michel Peschaud, and Philippe Lacourtablasie. The club, however, is ficials, Michel Peschaud, and Pningblase. The club, however, is being allowed to continue in the first division and, a few days after the storm broke it surprised and delighted supporters by thrashing league leaders Marseille 5-1 in the Parc des Princes! Simply, it was to print two sets of tickets for matches. One set was sold openly through the official club offices to the general public, and the second set was sold privately by players and officials.

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The result was that the official attendance and receipt figures released to the Press after the match, reported to the FA, government tax authorities and visiting clubs were the figures from the open sale of tickets.

The cash from the black market sales went into a secret fund which was used to pay illegal inducements to players, and boost signing-on fees to enable PSG, for example, to tempt stars such as Carlos Blanchi from Relms, and defender Ramon Heredia from Atletico Madrid.

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Falkirk	4	5	2	15	13	7					
Albion R						6					
Forfar						5					

Dunfrmine 7	2	1	19	6	3	5	5	11	17	27
Stranraer 6	3	5	24	23					17	
Cowdenbth 5	2	5	23	22					26	
E. Stirling 4	2	7	17	25					21	
Queens Park 4	3	5	11	16					23	
Stenhamiur 4									24	
Meadowbank . 1	4	8	12	24					26	
Brechin 2	1	7	15	18					23	
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Leading scorers in the English Football leanure

DIVISION DNE
23 --- Beb Laichfard (Everten).
18 --- Lan Weblizes (Downtry).
16 --- Kenny Dalglish ((Liverpee)), Trever Francis (Birmingham), Ray Hankin (Louds).
15 --- Teny Brown (West Bromwich), Andy Gray (Asten Villa), Dennis Tueari (Manchester City).

DIVISION TWO

22 — Bob Hatten (Blackpoel).
20 — Peter Kitchen (Brisnet).
18 — Jehn Dencan (Toftmham).
17 — Mike Flanagan (Charten).
15 — Gary Rouwal (Sundorland). Peter Ward (Brighten).
Neil Whalmore (Botten).

- David Kemp (Portsmouth). Alan Biley (Cambridge

20 — Dixie McNeil (Wrexham). 19 — Alex Bruce (Presten), Alan Buckley (Waisali).

DIVISION FOUR

19 — Steve Philips, (Breatherd).
18 — Alan Curtis (Swansea), Jim Lumby (Scontherpe).
17 — Derrick Parker (Southend), George Reilly (Morthampton).



Gerd Mueller Bayern



Kenny Dalglish



Peter Lorimer



Andrew Bozikas (left) one of the candidates for a Fitzroy midfield position, is tackled by Jim Kondarios of J.U.S.T.

By LAURIE SCHWAB

Fitzroy-Alexander is negotiating for a top-class midfielder from the Scottish Premier League, and for a Scottish goalkeeper.

The midfielder will increase rivalry between five

established players vying for three vacant positions in the Alexander team.

Branko Buljevic and Gary Cole will be the two strikers and Mike Micevalk will play just behind them, leaving the other three midfield positions to be contested by Pat Bannon, Joe Tront, Jim Campbell, Ken Taylor, Andrew Bozikas and the Socitish import. Bannon, the team captain, is certain to get one of the positions. He is the leader and he makes up with accurate distribution what he may lack in page.

he may lack in pace.

Bannon is an institution at Alexander. You couldn't imagine the team without him.

team without him.

Another thing in his favor is that he has good defensive qualities in a midfield pool whose dominant characteristic is attack.

Ken Taylor is the only other one who drops back effectively to help in defence, and he also has a high work-rate, not to mention that powerful shot which, however, is invariably launched from too for every.

far away.

Jim Campbell proved himself a nippy, effective goal sneak last year In any other team there would be room for him as an attacking midfielder but at Alexander he may find himself on and off the bench.

bench.

Andrew Bozikas justified his place in the team with some outstanding performances towards the end of last season. He is still incredibly fast and has a finely tuned understanding with Buljevic. Bozikas is also able to score timely goals, making him a leading contender for a midfield position.

Joe Tront was bought for big money from Mooroolbark, where he was a regular goalscorer. He couldn't break into Alexander's winning team last year but he should be given the chance this year to show coach Tony Boggi exactly what he can do. Who will forget Tront's excellent play for Victoria against Middlesbrough last year?

year?
As it looks at the moment, one or two of the midfielders may be offered for transfer if the Scottish recruit arrives.
He would obviously be in the team, as would Pat Bannon, leaving Campbell, Bozikas, Taylor and Tront vying for only ONE posing

tion.
Goalkeeper will be Peter Blasby, understudied by the Scottish import. The defence will be Arthur McMillan, Jim O'Reilly, Bob Provan, Jim Tansey.
Nick Rakovalis, Mike Glykokalamos, Alex Nelson and Thec Selemidis are also in the squad.



Jim Campbell



Joe Tront

STOP-PRESS — Newcastle United, which replaced Mocroobark in the Philips Socier League, has cliniched sponsorship worth \$105,000. Brewere Tooth and Co. Ltd. will sink the

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